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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE OFFICERS OF THE

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

MASSACHUSETTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31

1934

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1934-1935

Moderator
Samuel H. Wragg

Town Clerk
Clarence E. Foss

Selectmen
Parkman D. Howe, *Chairman*
William P. McEvoy, *Vice-Chairman* Carleton G. McIntosh, *Secretary*

Assessors
Howard A. Flewelling, *Chairman*, 1935
Arthur H. Godfrey, 1937 Charles W. Woodbury, 1936

Department of Public Welfare
Evan C. Thorpe, *Chairman*, 1936
Alfred T. Baker, 1935 Austin H. Keyes, 1936
Charles H. Davis, 1937 Catherine F. Tappan, 1937

Collector of Taxes
Henry Godfrey

Town Treasurer
Charles E. Stanwood

School Committee
Arthur S. Hamilton, *Chairman*, 1935
Maurice V. Brown, 1935 Roland C. March, 1937
Marion Gorse Hall, 1936 Percy E. Wye, 1937
Edward Seaver, 1936

Trustees of Memorial Park
Thomas J. Crossman, *Chairman*, 1936
Leonard Dawson, 1935 Amos H. Shepherdson, 1937
Paul B. Richwagen, 1935 James H. Whetton, 1937

Trustees of Public Library
George K. Clarke, *Chairman*, 1935
J. Merrill Boyd, 1937 Belle F. Gourd, 1936
Benjamin W. Chase, 1935 Henry W. Jarvis, 1936
Marion L. Johnson, 1937

Board of Health
Leslie B. Cutler, *Chairman*, 1936
Robert N. McClellan, 1937 David E. Mann, 1935

Town Planning Board
Ernest B. Allen, *Chairman*, 1935
William Adams, 1938 Arthur G. Curren, 1937
Arthur W. Rohn, 1939 George A. Young, *Secretary*, 1936

Commissioners of Trust Funds
Preston Mitchell, 1935 Arnold Mackintosh, 1936
Amos H. Shepherdson, 1937

Constables

Edward A. Coppinger
Russell C. Williams

Highway Surveyors and Town Agents

Parkman D. Howe
Carleton G. McIntosh
William P. McEvoy

Measurers of Wood and Bark

Henry K. Morse
James H. Whetton

Public Weighers

James H. Whetton
Henry K. Morse
Arthur H. Whetton
Frederick A. Whetton
Nicholas A. O'Brien
Nellie Burkett
Elizabeth Ryan
George B. Jones
Albert J. Ravinski
Ernest W. Starratt, Jr.
August Miller
Stephen C. Godfrey
Jacob Leader

APPOINTED

Finance Committee

George A. Lord, *Chairman*, 1936
Julius F. Haller, 1935
Alfred P. Hartshorn, 1935
Arthur S. Hubbard, 1937
John F. Kenney, 1937
†Redmond J. Owens, 1935
Harry J. Robinson, 1936
Edward G. Sayce, 1936
George R. Wein, 1935
Harrison G. Whittredge, 1937

Town Accountant

Clarence E. Foss, 1935†
Melville W. Grant, 1935

Trustees of Glover Memorial Hospital

James M. McCracken, *Chairman*, 1936
Margaret O. Chase, 1937
David E. Mann, 1937
William Mitchell, 1935
Frances E. Rowlands, 1935

Registrars of Voters

Charles M. Donahue, *Chairman*, 1936
Armstrong Beattie, 1935
Mary E. Fitzgerald, 1937
Clarence E. Foss, *ex-officio*

Town Counsel

Gilbert W. Cox

Superintendent of Public Works

Lester C. Hollis

Superintendent of Streets

John Overton

Superintendent of Sewers

Norman M. Winch

† Resigned

Superintendent of Water Department
Roger G. Oakman

Superintendent of Forestry Department
Ernest E. Riley

Town Engineer
Frank L. Cheney

Superintendent of Schools
Harry A. Brown

Agent for Department of Public Welfare
Frederick W. Blanchard

Health Officer and Milk Inspector
G. Donald Buckner

Agent for State and Military Aid
Francis J. Stanwood

Agent for Care of Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves
Frederick S. Kingsbury

Burial Agent
John F. McDermott

Agent for Enforcement of Workmen's Compensation
Clarence E. Foss

Inspector of Buildings and Cesspools
H. Howard Upham

Inspector of Slaughtering
Samuel O. Fowle, M. D. V.

Inspector of Wiring
Joseph Alexander

Inspectors of Plumbing
Llewellyn W. Stevens
Harold D. Toone
Jeremiah F. Buckley*

Superintendent of Fire Alarm
T. Robert Quinlan

Forest Warden
T. Robert Quinlan

Petroleum Inspector
T. Robert Quinlan

Deputy Forest Wardens
Charles G. Robinson
William B. Colter
George Webster
Edward Daly
William S. Cassidy, Jr.

* Deceased

Constables

Samuel H. Wragg
Arthur P. Bliss

Custodian of Public Buildings

George B. Jones

Sealer of Weights and Measures

William H. Stanton

Dog Officer

William W. Hewett

Local Game Warden

Allan D. McIntosh

Board of Appeal

Willard E. Doane, 1936
Raymond J. Cook, 1937
Lemont D. Litchfield, 1935

Keeper of Lockup

Arthur P. Bliss

Police Department

Arthur P. Bliss, *Chief*

William H. Knowles, *Sergeant*
Charles G. Robinson
Frank O. Haddock*
Forbes A. McLeod*
Thomas H. Welch
Joseph W. Hauptman
Thomas J. Rooney, Jr.
P. Bernhardt Richwagen
William H. Dugan
Howard Mills, *Sergeant*
Edward L. Wainwright
John E. Brearley
J. Albert Johnson
Emerson Lambert
Matthew Tocci
Clarence W. Garland
Frank E. Taylor
Daniel C. Henderson

Special Police Officers

Parkman D. Howe
William P. McEvoy
Carleton G. McIntosh
William W. Hewett
William H. Stanton
T. Robert Quinlan
Raymond Gehling
Samuel H. Wragg
Edward Daly
James H. Whetton
John W. Riley
Walter K. Queen
George A. Wye
Walter F. Palmer
John J. Daly
John Overton
John B. Sullivan
Arthur H. Whetton
George M. Pond
John Campbell
George B. Jones
Winthrop M. Southworth
Philip I. Cassidy
Lester W. Smith
Harry J. Robinson
Fred Goodwin
William B. Perlin
Roger G. Oakman
Samuel D. Low
Cyril F. Newcomb
Thomas Roberts
Fred C. Newey
Joseph Alexander
Nicholas A. O'Brien
William Marriott
George Webster
Eleanor G. Wing
Margaret Gaughan
Julius F. Haller
Dana L. Southworth

* Deceased

Fire Department

T. Robert Quinlan, *Chief*
George W. Holt, *Deputy Chief*

Walter M. Mullen, *Lieutenant*
Richard M. Salamone, *Lieutenant*
John A. Keith, *Lieutenant*
William B. Colter
Samuel Smith
Sidney P. Brearley
George F. Coombs
Everett Brown
Carl R. Parker
John A. Rhynd
Richard T. Swift
Warren M. Parker
Timothy L. Coughlin
Harold T. Vincent
Leo C. Brady

Town Nursery

Irving H. Cowdrey, 1935
Allan D. McIntosh, 1936
Albert W. Eldridge, 1935
Ernest E. Riley

Deputy Tax Collector

Edward A. Coppinger

Public Library

Barbara Abbott, *Librarian*

Glover Memorial Hospital

Bessie Jean Young, R.N., *Superintendent*

Special Committee — Annual Town Meeting, March 26, 1934 Under Article 39, on Playgrounds

Robert H. Burrage
Herbert L. Moore
Marion Gorse Hall
Arthur H. Godfrey
Ernest B. Allen

Special Committee — Annual Town Meeting, March 26, 1934 Under Resolution — To Families of Departed Police Officers

Helen M. Stevens
Mabel P. Friswell
Samuel Kingsbury

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

Town Clerk's Record

OF THE

Annual Election of Town Officers

March 12, 1934

AND

Annual Town Meeting

March 19, 1934

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NEEDHAM TOWN RECORDS

FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1934

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Monday, March 12, 1934

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables in the Town of Needham in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the twelfth day of March, 1934, at forty-five minutes after six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz.:

Article 1. To choose by ballot the following Town Officers: three Selectmen for one year; one Moderator for one year; one Town Clerk for one year; one Town Treasurer for one year; one Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; two members of the School Committee for three years; one member of the Board of Health for three years; one member of the Department of Public Welfare for two years and two members for three years; two Trustees of the Public Library for three years; two Trustees of Memorial Park for three years; one member of the Planning Board for five years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years; two Constables for one year; forty-eight Town Meeting Members for each district, namely; districts numbered one, two, three, four and five, and on the same ballot to vote "YES" or "NO" upon the following:

1. Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	
NO	

(*a*) If a voter desires to permit the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages in this Town, he will vote "YES" on both questions.

(*b*) If he desires to permit the sale of wines and malt beverages only, herein, he will vote "NO" on question 1 and "YES" on question 2.

(*c*) If he desires to prohibit the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages herein, he will vote "NO" on both questions.

And on

Monday, the nineteenth day of March, 1934

at seven-thirty o'clock in the afternoon then and there to act upon the following articles, viz.:

Article 2. To choose and appoint all other Town Officers in such manner as the Town may determine.

Article 3. To hear and act on the reports of Town Officers and Committees.

Article 4. To see what action the Town will take relative to unexpended balances and deficiencies of 1933.

Article 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money received from dog licenses.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to the salaries of its Town officers.

Article 7. To see what sums of money the Town will appropriate for the necessary Town charges and expenses.

Article 8. To see in what manner the Town will have its taxes collected and fix the compensation thereof for the current year.

Article 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of revenues of the current financial year.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes of 1935.

Article 11. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 29 of the Acts of 1934 relative to the payment of the cost of construction of particular sewers and connecting drains in the Town.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the construction of particular sewers or house connections, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer $16,345.60 from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, $14,212.50 of which shall be for payment of notes and interest due on construction bonds.

Article 14. To see if the Town will change the terms of office of the Selectmen from one to three years, in the following manner, namely; at the Annual Meeting in the year 1935 one Selectman to be elected for the term of three years, one for the term of two years and one for the term of one year and thereafter at each Annual Meeting one for the term of three years, on petition of the Board of Trade.

Article 15. To see what sum, not exceeding an amount to be recommended by the Chief of the Fire Department, the Town will appropriate to be paid to Timothy L. Coughlin to indemnify him for injuries suffered, and for expenses incurred on account thereof, through no fault of his own while in the actual performance of his duty as a fireman on February 2, 1934.

Article 16. To see if the Town will accept Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 17. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand one hundred dollars ($3,100.00) for the construction of Warren Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 18. To see if the Town will accept Laurel Drive from Warren Street Extension easterly about 540 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 19. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive under the provisions of Law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 20. To see if the Town will accept Gayland Road from Warren Street Extension westerly about 670 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 21. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred and fifty dollars ($2,550.00) for the construction of Gayland Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 22. To see if the Town will accept Highland Terrace from Highland Avenue easterly about 990 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 23. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000.00) for the construction of Highland Terrace under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 24. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the completion of the construction of Mount Vernon Avenue as accepted by the Town under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments.

Article 25. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light on Daly Place, on petition of Mary E. Murphy and others.

Article 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install two street lights on Gayland Road, on petition of Arthur C. Stansfield and others.

Article 27. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light at the corner of Nichols Road and Beaufort Avenue, on petition of William T. Sweeney and others.

Article 28. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate to be added to the Street Lighting Appropriation for the installation and maintenance of street lights.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following-named streets in whole or in part thereof as Town Ways as laid out and constructed by William H. Carter in accordance with plans on file with the Town Clerk:

Tower Avenue from Greendale Avenue to Lindbergh Avenue.
Lindbergh Avenue from Manning Street to Paul Revere Road.
Hoover Road from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Lexington Avenue from Webster Street to Tower Avenue.
Concord Street from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Burnside Road from Concord Street to Hoover Road.
Paul Revere Road from Tower Avenue to State Route 128.
Bennington Street from High Street to Concord Street.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate $1,000.00 for rewards offered in accordance with the provisions of law for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Forbes A. McLeod and Frank O. Haddock.

Article 31. To see if the Town will appropriate $1,626.95 for the annuity ordered paid in the manner provided by law to the widow and minor children of Frank O. Haddock.

Article 32. To see if the Town will appropriate $903.85 for the annuity ordered paid in the manner provided by law to the widow of Forbes A. McLeod.

Article 33. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the installation of one fire alarm box at the corner of Brookline Street and Bancroft Street on petition of J. E. Haddock and others.

Article 34. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two hundred twelve dollars ($212.00) to pay damages for land taken to relocate Charles River Street, as ordered by the County Commissioners in 1933.

Article 35. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars ($400.00) for equipment of the office of the Town Treasurer, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 13 of Chapter 40 General Laws known as the Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund Act, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 37. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) for the purpose of special insurance for protection at the Town Hall, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Article 38. To see what action the Town will take relative to the improvement of our present bus transportation facilities, or take any other action relative thereto upon petition of George H. Hassam and others.

Article 39. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500.00) for the purpose of conducting a public playground on Green's Field, so-called.

Article 40. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Sections 21 to 25, inclusive, of Chapter 136 of the General Laws relating to sports and games on the Lord's Day, on petition of Charles DeFazio and over five hundred other registered voters.

Article 41. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Law, by adding the following new section under the caption "Sand, Gravel, and Loam Permits:"

"*Section 21A.* A permit for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam, or for the operation of a commercial sand and gravel pit shall require as a condition that after completion of the operations the land shall be left in a condition no less valuable for development and use than it was before the commencement of operations.

"There shall be filed with each application for such permit a plan or map prepared at the expense of the applicant showing the existing contours of the land and the contours as they are proposed after the completion of the operations. Such plan or map must be accurately drawn and shall contain sufficiently complete information to make the physical characteristics clear. No permit shall be issued until such a plan is filed with and approved by the Selectmen.

"No applicant shall carry on operations below such a grade as may be fixed by the Selectmen without on each occasion obtaining the permission of the Selectmen but a tolerance of six inches more or less shall be permitted during or at the termination of operations.

"A permit issued hereunder for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam shall state the time within which work is to be finished and the land graded, but the Selectmen may for cause and without consent of any surety extend the permit from time to time.

"The Selectmen shall require a bond in a sufficient penal sum with sufficient surety or sureties conditioned on the performance of these By-Laws and the conditions of the permit."

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to amend its zoning map by changing from a single residence district to a business district the area on Greendale Avenue starting at a point approximately 300 feet from the right of way of the New York, New Haven, and Hartford Railroad on the northerly side of the said right of way and easterly of Greendale Avenue on land of Laura I. Cassidy, and running northerly to and including land of Augustus Hauck, Jr., about 2,500 feet or such part thereof as may be determined on petition, of Laura I. Cassidy and others.

Article 43. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Law in Paragraph 3 of Section 3 by striking out the word "Hospitals" so that said Paragraph 3 will read as follows: — "Churches, schools, public libraries, public museums, parish houses, philanthropic institutions;"— and in the second Paragraph of Section 5 by inserting after the words "Research Laboratories;" the words "Hospitals, sanitoria, convalescent homes;" so that the second Paragraph of said Section 5 will read as follows: "Dormitories in which there is no provision for private housekeeping; cafes; lecture rooms; research laboratories; hospitals; sanitoria; convalescent homes; statistical offices; printing; binding; and electrotyping as accessory to statistical and research work but not as a separate and independent business; and such uses as the selectmen may deem to be properly accessory to the above mentioned uses."

Article 44. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purpose of making certain repairs on the Town building formerly occupied as a fire house on Chestnut Street, to meet the requirements of the State Building Laws, which will permit the continued use of said building by the following organizations, namely; Lieut. Manson H. Carter Post No. 2498 Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States; Galen Orr Corps 8, Women's Relief Corps and Massachusetts State Guard Veterans Unit No. 26, on petition of Ralph H. Gray and others.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to furnish the owner of a licensed dog a metal tag bearing the following: Town of Needham, 1934, Lic. No. , on petition of Allan McIntosh.

Article 46. To appropriate and raise by borrowing or otherwise such sums of money as may be necessary for all or any other purpose mentioned in the foregoing articles and especially to act upon all appropriations asked for or proposed by the Selectmen or any Town officer or Committee.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to have the reports of its officers and the proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings printed, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in not less than twenty public places in said Town at least seven days before said meeting and to leave a copy at each of the several dwelling houses within said Town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, unto our Town Clerk, on or before said day and hour.

Given under our hands at Needham aforesaid this twenty-eighth day of February, A. D., 1934.

P. D. HOWE,
W. P. McEVOY,
C. G. McINTOSH,
Selectmen of Needham.

Needham, March 3, 1934.

Norfolk, ss.

By virtue of this Warrant, I have this day notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Needham to meet as within directed, by posting true and attested copies of this warrant in not less than twenty public places in said Town more than seven days before the time of holding said meeting and by leaving a copy at each of the several dwelling houses as within directed.

RUSSELL C. WILLIAMS,
Constable of Needham.

A true copy of Warrant and Officer's Return.
Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS.
Town Clerk.

RECORD OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 12, 1934

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs was held in the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, March 12, 1934, at forty-five minutes past six o'clock in the forenoon.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Samuel H. Wragg.

The warrant for the Annual Town Meeting was read, the articles in the warrant being omitted.

The return of the officer who notified and warned the inhabitants was read by the Town Clerk.

Voted, To proceed to ballot for the follcwing town officers, *viz.:*

Three Selectmen for one year; one Moderator for one year; one Town Clerk for one year; one Town Treasurer for one year; one Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; two members of the School Committee for three years; one member of the Board of Health for three years; one member of the Department of Public Welfare for two years and two members for three years; two Trustees of the Public Library for three years; two Trustees of Memorial Park for three years; one member of the Planning Board for five years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years; two Constables for one year; forty-eight Town Meeting Members for each district, namely; districts numbered one, two, three, four, and five, and on the same ballot to vote "YES" or "NO" upon the following:

1. Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	
NO	

Pursuant to Chapter 54, Section 21, of the General Laws the Selectmen having appointed:

Frank Cheney	Bertha W. Blaisdell
Margaret O. Chase	Grace Morris
Charles I. Ruggles	Melville W. Grant
Harold S. Loudon	A. W. Eldridge
Wm. S. Whelan	Julia F. Mullan
Mabel E. Nason	Alice B. Nason
Mary A. Casey	Charles Donahue
Ruberta Farnham	Armstrong Beattie
Jerry Bond, Jr.	Mary Fitzgerald

as tellers they were sworn to the faithful discharge of their duties by the Moderator.

The ballots prepared for use at this election by the Town Clerk were then delivered to the ballot clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Cards of instruction and specimen ballots were posted as required by Chapter 54, Section 48, of the General Laws.

The ballot boxes were publicly opened by the Moderator and shown to be empty. The boxes were then locked and the keys delivered to Thomas J. Rooney, Jr., the officer in attendance.

The polls were opened at forty-five minutes past six in the forenoon and kept open until eight o'clock in the afternoon.

Additional tellers were appointed as required by Chapter 54, Section 48, of the General Laws, as follows:

Mary Donati
Mae McMath
Della A. Beale
Myra Kingsbury
Robert J. Willgoose
Frederick C. Newey
Francis Craft
Joseph Erskine
Walter Steeves
William Simmons
Gorham W. Humphry
Anna T. Neas
Robert King
Josephine Bois
Jean Cameron
Theresa C. Hansis
Frank Quinlan
Meddie J. Blais
Ernest Keith
Lemont D. Litchfield
Frank B. Hutchins
Annie M. Gilfoil
Irving R. Wallis
Emma B. Eastman
Martha Doyle
George Nicherson
Alice Gaughan
Joseph W. Wagner
John J. Casey
John F. McCarthy
Raymond Bond
E. Bertha Behnke
Paul U. Nickerson
Malcolm J. Rand
Vertene Welch
Charles P. Cobb
George Irving
Elise A. Chandler
Annie T. Murphy
Florence P. Mann
Helen T. Daley
Louis Langdale
James Fitzgerald
Allan McIntosh
Mary F. Salamone
Mabel Godfrey
Elizabeth G. Ryan
Florence Carman
Warren S. McIntire
Louise M. Ryan
Susan Bibber
Domenic Carchidi
Karl Upham
Catherine G. Crowley
Robert Polley
Philip Reynolds
Albert Slaney
Fred. L. Murray
Floyd C. Hatch
Charles DeFazio
Wm. E. Roper
Gertrude C. Walsh
Grace L. Kilmer
Henry Hart
Mildred Richwagen

and they were severally sworn.

The ballots were audibly counted when taken from the box and at 10 o'clock six hundred (600) ballots were taken from the box; at 2 o'clock seven hundred and fifty (750) ballots were taken from the box; at 4.45 o'clock seven hundred (700) ballots were taken from the box; and at 8.00 o'clock, when the polls were declared closed, fifteen hundred and nine (1,509) ballots were taken from the box; making the total number of ballots cast three thousand five hundred and fifty-nine (3,559). The total number of ballots cast by men was nineteen hundred and thirty-four (1,934) and by women sixteen hundred and twenty-five (1,625). The vote by districts was as follows:

District	Male	Female	Total
1.	376	371	747
2.	383	343	726
3.	346	315	661
4.	368	306	674
5.	461	290	751
	1,934	1,625	3,559

A canvass of all votes given was made as required by law. Upon the completion of the canvass of all votes cast the result of the voting was declared by the Moderator to be as follows, *viz.:*

For Selectmen

Rodney S. Adams	426
Joseph F. Dinneen	1,053
Parkman D. Howe	1,986
William P. McEvoy	1,840
Carleton G. McIntosh	2,066
Benjamin Mills, Jr.	976
Edgar S. Stanley	1,136
Blanks	1,194

and Carleton G. McIntosh, Parkman D. Howe, and William P. McEvoy were declared elected Selectmen for one year.

For Moderator

Samuel H. Wragg	2,742
Blanks	817

and Samuel H. Wragg was declared elected Moderator for one year.

For Town Clerk

Clarence E. Foss	2,826
Blanks	733

and Clarence E. Foss was declared elected Town Clerk for one year.

For Assessor (for three years)

George H. Carter	993
Arthur H. Godfrey	2,285
Blanks	281

and Arthur H. Godfrey was declared elected Assessor for three years.

For Town Treasurer

Charles E. Stanwood 2,860
Blanks 699
and Charles E. Stanwood was declared elected Town Treasurer for one year.

For Collector of Taxes

Henry Godfrey 2,820
Blanks 739
and Henry Godfrey was declared elected Collector of Taxes for one year.

For Department of Public Welfare (for three years)

Charles H. Davis 2,014
Meyer J. Gordon 1,486
Catherine F. Tappan 2,148
Blanks 1,470
and Charles H. Davis and Catherine F. Tappan were declared elected members of the Department of Public Welfare for three years.

For Department of Public Welfare (for two years)

Austin H. Keyes 2,695
Blanks 864
and Austin H. Keyes was declared elected a member of the Department of Public Welfare for two years.

For School Committee (for three years)

Irving H. Cowdrey 1,195
William W. Gallagher 1,409
Roland C. March 1,809
Percy E. Wye 1,907
Blanks 798
and Percy E. Wye and Roland C. March were declared elected members of the School Committee for three years.

For Trustees of Public Library (for three years)

J. Merrill Boyd 2,486
Marion L. Johnson 2,484
Blanks 2,148
and J. Merrill Boyd and Marion L. Johnson were declared elected Trustees of the Public Library for three years.

For Board of Health (for three years)

Robert N. McClellan 2,540
Blanks 1,019
and Robert N. McClellan was declared elected a member of the Board of Health for three years.

For Town Planning Board (for five years)

Arthur H. Rohn 2,488
Blanks 1,071
and Arthur H. Rohn was declared elected a member of the Town Planning Board for five years.

For Commissioner of Trust Funds (for three years)

Amos H. Shepherdson 2,611
Blanks 948
and Amos H. Shepherdson was declared elected Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years.

For Trustees of Memorial Park (for three years)

Amos H. Shepherdson	2,557
James H. Whetton	2,561
Blanks	2,000

and James H. Whetton and Amos H. Shepherdson were declared elected Trustees of Memorial Park for three years.

For Constables

Edward A. Coppinger	2,702
John W. Hutchins	714
Russell C. Williams	2,542
Blanks	1,160

and Edward A. Coppinger and Russell C. Williams were declared elected Constables for one year.

Upon the Question Number 1

Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes	1,088
No	2,024
Blanks	447

Upon the Question Number 2

Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes	1,443
No	1,632
Blanks	484

The following were elected Town Meeting Members:

District Number 1. For three years

Percy E. Wye,	George W. Holt
Alger E. Eaton	Austin H. Keyes
Paul B. Richwagen	Ray C. Hall
Harry Hamlin Hall	Helen S. Courtenay
Arthur G. Curren	Chester W. Eaton
Francis J. Stanwood	William P. Brown
Samuel D. Low	Henry D. Blackman
Frederick A. Whetton	Benjamin W. Chase

For Two Years

Arthur W. Rohn	Philip A. Rand
Edward W. Nason	Caro E. Shugg
George E. Harris	Arthur W. Littlehale
Ernest B. Allen	Albert G. Hervey
Irving H. Cowdrey	Herbert L. Moore
Herbert E. Blaisdell	Roger G. Oakman
Evan C. Thorpe	Samuel Kingsbury
Matthew McNeilly, Jr.	Stanley M. Hollis

For One Year

Charles W. Woodbury	Gertrude M. Eichler
Harold A. Smith	Nelson A. Talmadge
J. Walter Schirmer	Laurence S. Caldwell
Paul H. Franz	Winthrop M. Quinlan
James W. Macdonald	Winthrop M. Southworth
John N. Brion	Mary E. Trow
Letty S. Proctor	Arthur G. Johnson
Louis S. Bugbee	Thomas M. Stevenson, Jr.

District Number 2. For three years

Harold B. Church
Arnold Mackintosh
James A. Ackroyd
Harold T. Neas
Wilbur J. Blades
Frank I. Hammett
Harold G. Loomis
Brad Stephens
Kenneth Christophe
G. Waldo Crawley
Harold H. McEvoy
Kenneth M. Childs
Harold Rowlands
Charles W. Bell
Cyril N. Angell
Roger W. Nutt

For two years

Florence L. Lyman
Ralph H. Gray
John T. Kingsbury
Julius F. Haller
Vernal E. Kezer
Walter R. Clarenbach
Albert E. Hunter
Russell T. Williams
George H. Carter
George A. Young
Justus H. Sturtevant
James K. Sanborn
Blanche Worth
Frank P. Salamone
Frank L. Flood
Robert A. Lewis

For one year

Lucy E. Bliss
Laura G. Doane
Russell J. Rice
Jerry Bond
H. Harris Eaton
Alan H. McIntosh
Holley A. Wilkinson
George R. Wein
Mary W. Crane
Helen B. Eastman
Francis C. Hersey
John A. Salman
Donald K. Eaton
Weld A. Rollins
Herbert J. Denner
John Stevens

District Number 3. For three years

Thomas J. Crossman
Warren W. Loomis
Edgar A. Crossman
Ralph G. Adams
Irvine E. Ross
William H. Wye
Stanley O. Bezanson
I. Tucker Burr, Jr.
Adah G. Fuller
Fred L. Donahue
Edmund G. Pond
Henry B. Cabot, Jr.
Harry J. Robinson
Arthur P. Bliss
F. Ernest Thorpe
Catherine F. Tappan

For two years

Paul C. Cabot
John W. Farley
Fred L. Greely
George P. Holbrook
Edward Seaver
George A. Lord
Clayton A. Fairbanks
John Wentworth
Flora W. Litchfield
William A. Mann
Luke W. Keith
Myra H. Catheron
Arthur H. Wilde
Arthur H. Birkett
Herbert F. Stevenson
William F. Leach

For one year

Samuel F. Cohoon
Reta M. Blades
Henry W. Jarvis
Fred L. Fanning
Stuart L. Blake
John A. O'Connor
Anne Williams
Francis B. Richardson
Mary E. Huddy
Raymond J. Cook
Eugene H. Gordon
Elizabeth G. Merrill
Stephen W. Smith
Charles W. Harrison
Florence L. Bartlett
Eva H. Churchill

District Number 4. For three years

David Murdoch
Harry W. Kimball
Laurence E. Eaton
William W. Gallagher
Robert H. Burrage
Kenneth S. Herdman
Howard A. Flewelling
Allston R. Bowers
Herbert N. Mitchell
Florence E. Eaton
Arthur S. Hamilton
Walter E. Lovering
Clarence S. Burton
Nicholas A. O'Brien
Laura G. Willgoose
Carl W. Woods

For two years

William P. Bailey
John R. Day
Ronald D. Lowden
Harry A. Whitney
Frank Marsilli
Alice M. McIntosh
Mabel P. Friswell
Theresa H. Dubois
Theodore McIntosh
H. Prescott Tucker
George E. Hall
Arthur C. Harding
Karl W. Richards
William J. Day
Roy E. Cole
David S. Hamilton

For one year

Harrison G. Whittredge
Frank V. Gordon
Francis W. Shaw
Susie G. Whitney
Helen M. Stevens
Clyde E. Cookson
Frank A. McIntosh
Philip A. Merrill
Meyer J. Gordon
Charles G. Robinson
Mattie E. Webber
Paul M. Britt
Ruth E. Starkweather
Rolla E. Healey
J. Charles Nute, Jr.
Thomas E. Norris

District Number 5. For three years

Edward A. Coppinger
Henry Godfrey
William Mitchell
Leonard Dawson
Frank W. Gorse
Edgar S. Stanley
James Dallachie
William L. Carter
William Kennedy
Virgil A. Rowe
Russell C. Williams
Harry McMath
Harold R. Waining
Charles H. Davis
John J. Coppinger
Wallace G. Rae

For two years

Roland C. March
John A. Keith
Sidney P. Brearley
Elmer DeFazio
Irving Dawson
Harold D. Toone
David W. Barrett
George A. Billings
Samson Hammersley
William Bailey
Samson Shuker, Jr.
George F. Chambers
Carl D. Corliss
Willard H. Brockway
Edward A. Daley, Jr.
Harold R. Walton

For one year

Frederick Alexander
Francis A. Perry
Charles E. Spicer
Harold Warren
James F. Daly
Raymond Walton
Alfred P. Hartshorn
John F. Kenney
Timothy M. Henderson
Shirley H. Sparkes
John E. Buckley
Frank Hunt
Horace W. Cutler, Jr.
Jean H. Whetton
Leo R. Peare
Arthur L. Parker

After the results of the vote had been declared the Moderator was sworn by the Town Clerk and the Town Clerk was sworn by the Moderator to the faithful performance of their duties.

The ballots cast, the undistributed ballots and check lists were sealed up, endorsed by the election officers and placed in the custody of the Town Clerk.

Adjourned at 10.15 A. M., Tuesday, March 13, 1934.

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING FOR THE TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS

March 19, 1934

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Needham, qualified to vote in Town affairs, met in the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, March 19, 1934, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Samuel H. Wragg.

Charles M. Donahue, Ruberta B. Farnham, Harold S. Loudon, Melville Grant, Myra R. Kingsbury, Jerry Bond, Jr., Charles I. Ruggles, and Robert Willgoose, having been appointed checkers by the Board of Selectmen were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties. Check lists were used and 139 women and 417 men were checked on the lists as being present, a total of 556 voters. This was the first representative town meeting and of a total membership of 250, there were present 246.

Proceeded to take up the articles under the warrant.

Article 2. To choose and appoint all other Town Officers in such manner as the Town may determine.

Voted, That the following officers be elected:

Highway Surveyors and Town Agents: Parkman D. Howe, William P. McEvoy and Carleton G. McIntosh.

Measurers of Wood and Bark: Henry K. Morse and James H. Whetton.

Public Weighers: James H. Whetton, Henry K. Morse, Arthur H. Whetton, Frederick A. Whetton, Nicholas A. O'Brien, Nellie Burkett, Elizabeth Ryan, George B. Jones, Albert J. Ravinski, Ernest W. Starratt, Jr., August Miller, Stephen C. Godfrey, and Jacob Leader.

Article 3. To hear and act on the reports of Town Officers and Committees.

Laid on the table to be considered after Article 7.

Article 4. To see what action the Town will take relative to unexpended balances and deficiencies of 1933.

Voted, That the sum of $10,050 be appropriated to pay unpaid bills contracted in 1933 but not received by the Town until after January 1, 1934, and to pay overdrafts and deficiencies of 1933.

Voted, That all unexpended balances be returned to the Treasury.

Article 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money received from dog licenses.

Voted, That the money received from dog licenses, to wit: $1,761.48 be appropriated for the use of the Public Library.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to the salaries of its Town officers.

Voted, That the salaries of Town Officers for the year 1934 be the same as voted in the Annual Budget.

Article 7. To see what sums of money the Town will appropriate for the necessary Town charges and expenses.

Under this article the following appropriations were made, each item being voted on separately, *viz.:*

Voted, That the sum of $2,479 be appropriated for the Accounting Department.

Salaries	$2,329 00	
Expenses	150 00	
		$2,479 00

Voted, That the sum of $5,606.80 be appropriated for the Assessors' Department.

Salaries	$4,256 80	
Expenses	1,350 00	
		$5,606 80

Voted, That the sum of $3,297.60 be appropriated for the Engineering Department $3,297 60

Voted, That the sum of $850 be appropriated for the Finance Committee.

Salary	$300 00	
Expenses	550 00	
		$850 00

Voted, That the sum of $1,205 be appropriated for the Fire Alarm Department.

Salaries	$255 00	
Expenses	950 00	
		$1,205 00

Voted, That the sum of $36,615 be appropriated for the Fire Department.

Salaries	$32,240 00	
Maintenance	4,375 00	
		$36,615 00

Voted, That the sum of $150 be appropriated for the Forest Warden.

Salary	$85 00	
Expenses	65 00	
		$150 00

Voted, That the sum of $18,000 be appropriated for the Glover Memorial Hospital.

Salaries	$8,000 00	
Maintenance	10,000 00	
		$18,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $5,980 be appropriated for the Board of Health.

Salary	$1,700 00	
Salary of Nurse	560 00	
Transportation of Nurse	220 00	
Expenses	3,500 00	
		$5,980 00

Voted, That the sum of $400 be appropriated for the Board of Health to be used for equipment in connection with the reclamation of swamps and mosquito eradication ... $400 00

Voted, That the sum of $2,000 be appropriated for the Removal of Garbage. $2,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $50.00 be appropriated for the Town Nursery $50 00

Voted, That the sum of $7,000 be appropriated for the Unclassified Department $7,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $59,000 be appropriated for the Water Department for operation, maintenance, construction, office expenses, supervision and fixed charges including the payment of a maturing bond of $7,000.00 ..... $59,000 00

Voted, That $14,370.73, the total deficit as of December 31, 1932, in the Water Department, be appropriated from the revenue of 1933 of that Department, and the payment already made ratified.

Voted, That the sum of $65,000 be appropriated for the Welfare Department.

Salaries	$3,400 00	
Expenses	650 00	
Public Welfare	60,950 00	
		$65,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $15,000 be appropriated for Soldiers' Relief $15,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $300 be appropriated for Military Aid $300 00

Voted, That the sum of $100 be appropriated for State Aid $100 00

Voted, That the sum of $28,655 be appropriated for the Highway Department $28,655 00

Voted, That the sum of $6,500 be appropriated for Sidewalks $6,500 00

Voted, That the sum of $9,000 be appropriated for Snow Removal $9,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $22,000 be appropriated for Street Lighting $22,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $3,700 be appropriated for the Inspection Department

Salaries	$3,600 00	
Expenses	100 00	
		$3,700 00

Voted, That the sum of $85.00 be appropriated for Petroleum Inspection $85 00

Voted, That the sum of $85.00 be appropriated for the Game Warden $85 00

Voted, That the sum of $2,000 be appropriated for Insurance $2,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $5,454.59 with the income from the Barr and Greenwood Funds be appropriated for the Public Library.

Salaries	$4,610 00	
Expenses	844 59	
		$5,454 59

Voted, That the sum of $300 be appropriated for Memorial Day $300 00

Voted, That the sum of $400 be appropriated for Care of Soldiers' Graves $400 00

Voted, That the sum of $1,500 be appropriated for Memorial Park $1,500 00

Voted, That the sum of $100 be appropriated for the Town Planning Board $100 00

Voted, That the sum of $35,127.50 be appropriated for the Police Department.

Salaries	$29,007 50	
Maintenance	6,120 00	
		$35,127 50

it being understood that the expenditure for the salary of any man or men in addition to the present force is to be in the discretion of the Selectmen.

Voted, That the sum of $2,700 be appropriated for the Registrars.

Salaries	$300 00	
Expenses	2,400 00	
		$2,700 00

Voted, That the sum of $5,000 be appropriated for the Reserve Fund $5,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $10,000 of the balance in the Overlay Reserve Account be transferred to the Reserve Fund. $10,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $201,793.90 together with the income of the Dwight School Fund be appropriated for the School Department.

Salaries	$165,628 90	
Maintenance	36,165 00	
		$201,793 90

Voted, That the sum of $1,500 be appropriated for Vocational Tuition $1,500 00

Voted, That the sum of $2,140 be appropriated for the Selectmen's Department.

Salaries	$1,555 00	
Maintenance	585 00	
		$2,140 00

Voted, That the sum of $2,550 be appropriated for the Selectmen's Department.

Salary of Superintendent of Public Works.... $2,550 00

Voted, That the sum of $4,837.40 be appropriated for the Sewer Maintenance Department.

Salaries	$3,072 40	
Maintenance	1,765 00	
		$4,837 40

Voted, That the sum of $75.00 be appropriated for the Board of Survey $75 00

Voted, That the sum of $5,879.50 be appropriated for the Tax Collector's Department.

Salaries	$3,331 25	
Expenses	2,548 25	
		$5,879 50

Voted, That the sum of $3,775 be appropriated for the Town Hall and Grounds.

Salaries	$1,768 00	
Maintenance	2,007 00	
		$3,775 00

Voted, That the sum of $2,299.90 be appropriated for the Town Clerk's Department.

Salaries	$1,660 90	
Fees	339 00	
Expenses	300 00	
		$2,299 90

Voted, That the sum of $5,069 be appropriated for the Treasurer's Department.

Salaries	$4,212 00	
Expenses	857 00	
		$5,069 00

Voted, That the sum of $1,431.24 be appropriated for the Tree Warden's Department..... $1,431 24

Voted, That the sum of $1,000 be appropriated for the Moth Department for work on private property.. $1,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $3,703.60 be appropriated for the Moth Department for work on public property.. $3,703 60

Voted, That the sum of $78,500 be appropriated for Bonds due in 1934..... $78,500 00

Voted, That the sum of $37,260 be appropriated for Interest on Funded Loans $37,260 00

Voted, That the sum of $20,000 be appropriated for Interest on Temporary Loans..... $20,000 00

Voted, That the sum of $4,926.81 be appropriated for the Norfolk County Hospital..... $4,926 81

Article 8. To see in what manner the Town will have its taxes collected and fix the compensation thereof for the current year.

Voted, That the taxes for the current year be collected in the same manner as in the year 1933 and that the compensation therefor be the same as voted in the Budget.

Article 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of revenues of the current financial year.

Article 9. *Voted*, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1934, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew such note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1934.

Vote declared unanimous.

Mr. J. W. Farley offered the following:

Resolved: That the Town Meeting of Needham favors a plan whereby the Police Department of Needham is co-ordinated with the State Police Department in the form embodied in the bill presented by the Governor, or otherwise, and requests the Senator and Representatives from this district to support in all ways legislation to that end.

Article 3 taken from the table for action.

Voted, That the report of the Committee on Salaries and Wages be and it is hereby adopted; the schedule of salaries and wages embodied therein, but subject to such modifications as have been made by previous vote of this meeting, constitutes the established scale of Town salaries and wages for 1934 and thereafter until voted otherwise.

At 11 o'clock P. M. it was voted.

That this meeting be now adjourned until March 26, 1934, at 7.30 o'clock, P.M.

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 26, 1934

Pursuant to adjournment of the Annual Town Meeting held March 19, 1934, the inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in Town affairs, met in the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, March 26, 1934, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Samuel H. Wragg, Moderator in the chair. Charles M. Donahue, Ruberta B. Farnham, Harold S. Loudon, Melville Grant, Myra R. Kingsbury, Jerry Bond, Jr., Charles I. Ruggles, and Robert Willgoose, having been appointed checkers, they were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties. Check lists were used and 105 women and 307 men were checked on the lists as being present, a total of 412.

There were present 223 Town Meeting Members. Proceeded to take up the remaining articles in the Warrant.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes of 1935.

Voted, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew such note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935.

Article 11. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 29 of the Acts of 1934 relative to the payment of the cost of construction of particular sewers and connecting drains in the Town.

Voted, That Chapter 29 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1934 relating to the payment of the cost of construction of particular sewers and connecting drains in the Town of Needham, be and the same hereby is accepted.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the construction of particular sewers or house connections, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the sum of $10,000 be appropriated for the construction of particular sewers or house connections.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer $16,345.60 from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, $14,212.50 of which shall be for payment of notes and interest due on construction bonds.

Voted, That the sum of $16,345.60 be transferred from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction

Account, of which $14,212.50 shall be to pay notes and interest due in 1934 on construction bonds.

Article 14. To see if the Town will change the terms of office of the Selectmen from one to three years, in the following manner, namely, at the Annual Meeting in the year 1935 one Selectman to be elected for the term of three years, one for the term of two years and one for the term of one year and thereafter at each Annual Meeting one for the term of three years on petition of the Board of Trade.

A motion to accept this Article was lost, 69 voting in the affirmative and 131 in the negative.

Article 15. To see what sum, not exceeding an amount to be recommended by the Chief of the Fire Department, the Town will appropriate to be paid to Timothy L. Coughlin to indemnify him for injuries suffered, and for expenses incurred on account thereof, through no fault of his own while in the actual performance of his duty as a fireman on February 2, 1934.

Voted, That the sum of $2,000 be appropriated and paid to Timothy L. Coughlin for expenses incurred and damages sustained by him, through no fault of his own while in the actual performance of his duty as a fireman on February 2, 1934.

Article 16. To see if the Town will accept Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 17. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand one hundred dollars ($3,100.00) for the construction of Warren Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 18. To see if the Town will accept Laurel Drive from Warren Street Extension easterly about 540 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 19. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive under the provisions of Law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 20. To see if the Town will accept Gayland Road from Warren Street Extension westerly about 670 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 21. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred and fifty dollars ($2,550.00) for the construction of Gayland Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 22. To see if the Town will accept Highland Terrace from Highland Avenue easterly about 990 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 23. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000.00) for the construction of Highland Terrace under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Voted, That this article be dismissed.

Article 24. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the completion of the construction of Mount Vernon Avenue as accepted by the Town under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments.

Voted, That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,200 for the completion of the construction of Mount Vernon Avenue as accepted by the Town under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments.

Article 25. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light on Daly Place on petition of Mary E. Murphy and others.

Voted, That the substance of this Article be referred to the Town Engineer with power to act as he sees fit.

Article 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install two street lights on Gayland Road on petition of Arthur C. Stansfield and others.

Voted, That the substance of this Article be referred to the Town Engineer with power to act as he sees fit.

Article 27. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light at the corner of Nichols Road and Beaufort Avenue on petition of William T. Sweeney and others.

Voted, That the substance of this Article be referred to the Town Engineer with power to act as he sees fit.

Article 28. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate to be added to the Street Lighting Appropriation for the installation and maintenance of street lights.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following-named streets in whole or in part thereof as Town Ways as laid out and constructed by William H. Carter in accordance with plans on file with the Town Clerk:

Tower Avenue from Greendale Avenue to Lindbergh Avenue.
Lindbergh Avenue from Manning Street to Paul Revere Road.
Hoover Road from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Lexington Avenue from Webster Street to Tower Avenue.
Concord Street from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Burnside Road from Concord Street to Hoover Road.
Paul Revere Road from Tower Avenue to State Route 128.
Bennington Street from High Street to Concord Street.

Voted, That the Town accept as Town Ways the following-named streets as laid out and constructed by William H. Carter in accordance with plans on file with the Town Clerk:

Tower Avenue from Greendale Avenue to Lindbergh Avenue,

Lindbergh Avenue from Manning Street to Paul Revere Road,

Hoover Road from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue,

Lexington Avenue from Webster Street to Tower Avenue,

Concord Street from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue,

Burnside Road from Concord Street to Hoover Road,

Paul Revere Road from Tower Avenue to State Route 128,

Bennington Street from High Street to Concord Street.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate $1,000.00 for rewards offered in accordance with the provisions of law for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Forbes A. McLeod and Frank O. Haddock.

Voted, That the sum of $1,000 be appropriated for the rewards offered in accordance with the provisions of law for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Forbes A. McLeod and Frank O. Haddock.

Article 31. To see if the Town will appropriate $1,626.95 for the annuity ordered paid in the manner provided by law to the widow and minor children of Frank O. Haddock.

Voted, That the sum of $1,626.95 be appropriated for the annuity granted to the widow and minor children of Frank O. Haddock.

Article 32. To see if the Town will appropriate $903.85 for the annuity ordered paid in the manner provided by law to the widow of Forbes A. McLeod.

Voted, That the sum of $903.85 be appropriated for the annuity granted to the widow of Forbes A. McLeod.

Article 33. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the installation of one fire alarm box at the corner of Brookline Street and Bancroft Street, on petition of J. E. Haddock and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 34. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two hundred twelve dollars ($212.00) to pay damages for land taken to re-locate Charles River Street, as ordered by the County Commissioners in 1933.

Voted, That the sum of $212 be appropriated to pay damages for land taken to re-locate Charles River Street, as ordered by the County Commissioners in 1933.

Article 35. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars ($400.00) for equipment of the office of the Town Treasurer, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the sum of $400 be appropriated for equipment of the office of the Town Treasurer.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 13 of Chapter 40 General Laws known as the Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund Act, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 37. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) for the purpose of special insurance for protection at the Town Hall, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That the sum of $300 be appropriated for the purpose of special insurance for protection at the Town Hall.

Article 38. To see what action the Town will take relative to the improvement of our present bus transportation facilities, or take any other action relative thereto, upon petition of George H. Hassam and others.

No action necessary.

Article 39. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500.00) for the purpose of conducting a public playground on Green's Field, so-called.

Voted, That the Moderator appoint a committee of five to study the needs of recreational activities in the Town of Needham, to report to the next annual Town Meeting, and to recommend what appropriations, if any, should be made for the support of the playgrounds and for the support of a bathing beach at Rosemary Lake, and that the Chairman of the Planning Board be one of that committee.

Article 40. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Sections 21 to 25, inclusive, of Chapter 136 of the General Laws relating to sports and games on the Lord's Day, on petition of Charles DeFazio and over five hundred other registered voters.

Voted, That Sections 21 to 25, inclusive, of Chapter 136 of the General Laws relating to sports and games on the Lord's Day, be and the same is hereby accepted.

Article 41. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Law by adding the following new section under the caption "Sand, Gravel, and Loam Permits":

"*Section 21A.* A permit for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam or for the operation of a commercial sand and gravel pit shall require as a condition that after completion of the operations the land shall be left in a condition no less valuable for development and use than it was before the commencement of operations.

"There shall be filed with each application for such permit a plan or map prepared at the expense of the applicant showing the existing contours of the land and the contours as they are proposed after the completion of the operations. Such plan or map must be accurately drawn and shall contain sufficiently complete information to make the physical characteristics clear. No permit shall be issued until such a plan is filed with and approved by the Selectmen.

"No applicant shall carry on operations below such a grade as may be fixed by the Selectmen without on each occasion obtaining the permission of the Selectmen but a tolerance of six inches more or less shall be permitted during or at the termination of operations.

"A permit issued hereunder for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam shall state the time within which work is to be finished and the land graded, but the Selectmen may for cause and without consent of any surety extend the permit from time to time.

"The Selectmen shall require a bond in a sufficient penal sum with sufficient surety or sureties conditioned on the performance of these By-Laws and the conditions of the permit."

Voted, That the Zoning By-Law of the Town is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new section under the caption, "Sand, Gravel and Loam Permits."

Section 21A. A permit for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam or for the operation of a commercial sand and gravel pit shall require as a condition that after completion of the operations the land shall be left in a condition no less valuable for development and use than it was before the commencement of operations.

There shall be filed with each application for such permit a plan or map prepared at the expense of the applicant showing the existing contours of the land and the contours as they are proposed after the completion of the operations. Such plan or map must be accurately drawn and shall contain sufficiently complete information to make the physical characteristics clear. No permit shall be issued until such a plan is filed with and approved by the Selectmen.

No applicant shall carry on operations below such a grade as may be fixed by the Selectmen without on each occasion obtaining the permission of the Selectmen but a tolerance of six inches more or less shall be permitted during or at the termination of operations.

A permit issued hereunder for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam shall state the time within which work is to be finished and the land graded, but the Selectmen may for cause and without consent of any surety extend the permit from time to time.

The Selectmen shall require a bond in a sufficient penal sum with sufficient surety or sureties conditioned on the performance of these By-Laws and the conditions of the permit.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to amend its zoning map by changing from a single residence district to a business district the area on Greendale Avenue starting at a point approximately 300 feet from the right of way of the New York, New Haven, and Hartford Railroad on the northerly side of the said right of way and easterly of Greendale Avenue on land of Laura I. Cassidy, and running northerly to and including land of Augustus Hauck, Jr., about 2,500 feet or such part thereof as may be determined, on petition of Laura I. Cassidy and others.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 43. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Law in Paragraph 3 of Section 3 by striking out the word "Hospitals" so that

said Paragraph 3 will read as follows: — "Churches, schools, public libraries, public museums, parish houses, philanthropic institutions;" — and in the second Paragraph of Section 5 by inserting after the words "Research Laboratories;" the words "Hospitals, sanitoria, convalescent homes;" so that the second Paragraph of said Section 5 will read as follows: "Dormitories in which there is no provision for private housekeeping; cafes; lecture rooms; research laboratories; hospitals; sanitoria; convalescent homes; statistical offices; printing; binding; and electrotyping as accessory to statistical and research work but not as a separate and independent business; and such uses as the Selectmen may deem to be properly accessory to the above mentioned uses."

On motion of William P. Bailey it was

Voted, That the Article be divided, Part 1 to end with the words "philanthropic institutions" and Part 2 to consist of the balance of the motion.

On Part 1 it was:

Voted, That the Zoning By-Law of the Town is hereby amended in Paragraph 3 of Section 3 by striking out the word "Hospitals" so that said Paragraph 3 will read:

Churches, schools, public libraries, public museums, parish houses, philanthropic institutions.

Part 2:

Voted, That part two of this motion be dismissed.

Article 44. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purpose of making certain repairs on the Town building formerly occupied as a fire house on Chestnut Street, to meet the requirements of the State Building Laws, which will permit the continued use of said building by the following organizations, namely; Lieut. Manson H. Carter Post No. 2498 Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States; Galen Orr Corps 8, Women's Relief Corps and Massachusetts State Guard Veterans' Unit No. 26, on petition of Ralph H. Gray and others.

Voted, That the sum of $800 be appropriated for the purpose of making certain repairs on the Town building formerly occupied as a fire house on Chestnut Street, to meet the requirements of the State Building Laws, which will permit the continued use of said building by the following organizations, namely: Lieut. Manson H. Carter Post No. 2498 Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States; Galen Orr Corps 8, Women's Relief Corps and Massachusetts State Guard Veterans' Unit No. 26.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to furnish the owner of a licensed dog a metal tag bearing the following: Town of Needham, 1934, Lic. No. , on petition of Allan McIntosh.

Voted, That the Town furnish the owner of a licensed dog a metal tag bearing the following: Town of Needham, 1934, Lic. No.

Article 46. To appropriate and raise by borrowing or otherwise such sums of money as may be necessary for all or any other purpose mentioned in the foregoing articles and especially to act upon all appropriations asked for or proposed by the Selectmen or any Town officer or Committee.

Voted, That this Article be dismissed.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to have the reports of its officers and the proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings printed, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Voted, That 1,000 copies of the report of Town officers and proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings, but not including the valuation list, be printed and distributed before the next Annual Town Meeting.

Voted, That a committee be appointed to draw up a set of resolutions to be spread upon the Town Records and to be sent to the families of our policemen, expressing in words the sorrow of the Town for the tragedy of February 2, 1934.

Resolved, That the Town Meeting Members extend to the citizens who have joined together to help in giving the Town additional protection in case of emergency, the thanks of the Town for their disinterested and patriotic service.

No further business appearing at 11.00 o'clock P.M., it was

Voted, That this meeting be now dissolved.

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR PARTY PRIMARY

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Needham, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in said Town Hall **Tuesday, the Twenty-fourth day of April, 1934,** at 2.00 o'clock, P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

District Member of State Committee

1 for each political party for the Norfolk and Middlesex Senatorial District.
10 Members of the Democratic Town Committee.
30 Members of the Republican Town Committee.
1 Delegate to State Convention of the Democratic Party.
2 Delegates to State Convention of the Republican Party.

All of the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot.
The polls will be open from 2.00 P.M. to 8.00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this tenth day of April, A. D., 1934.

PARKMAN D. HOWE.
WILLIAM P. McEVOY,
CARLETON G. McINTOSH.
Selectmen of Needham.

Needham, April 16, 1934.

Norfolk, ss.

By virtue of this warrant, I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Needham to meet as within directed, by posting true and attested copies of this warrant in not less than twenty public places in said Town more than seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

EDWARD A. COPPINGER,
Constable of Needham.

A true copy of warrant and officer's return.
Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

RECORD OF THE PARTY PRIMARY FOR THE ELECTION OF DELEGATES

April 24, 1934

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs, was held in the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday the twenty-fourth day of April at 2 o'clock P.M. in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-four, for the purpose of electing members of the State and Town committees and delegates to the State convention.

The meeting was called to order by Selectman Carleton G. McIntosh, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Warrant and officer's return were read by the Town Clerk.

The package received from the Secretary of State containing the ballots was delivered to the presiding officer and receipt taken therefor. The ballot box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, then locked and the keys given to Edward A. Coppinger, the officer in attendance at the polls.

Charles M. Donahue
Julia T. Mullan
Mary E. Fitzgerald
William S. Whelan
Charles I. Ruggles
Elise A. Chandler
Annie T. Murphy
Mary A. Casey
and Armstrong Beattie
Melville W. Grant
Myra R. Kingsbury
Margaret O. Chase
Mabel A. Nason
Harold S. Loudon
Ruberta B. Farnham
Jerry Bond, Jr.
Grace Morris

having been appointed as ballot clerks, they were sworn by the Town Clerk. Cards of instruction and specimen ballots were posted as required by General Law.

The polls were open for the reception of ballots from two to eight o'clock.

The following additional tellers were appointed and sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

Bertha Blaisdell
Robert Willgoose
Ernest R. Keith
E. Bertha Behnke
Della Beale
Warren S. McIntire
Catherine G. Crowley
Theresa C. Hansis
Jean Cameron
Dominic Carchidi
Josephine Bois
George Irving
Alice Gaughan

At the close of the polls the register stood at 258.

As the ballots were taken from the box they were audibly counted by the presiding officer and announced as two hundred

fifty-eight (258) which agreed with the check list kept by the ballot clerks.

A canvass of all votes cast was made, the whole number being duly sorted and recorded and public announcement was made by Selectman Carleton G. McIntosh as follows, viz.:

REPUBLICAN PARTY

Member of State Committee

Florence H. LeFevre of Norwood	139
Blanks	92

Delegates to State Convention

Horace A. Carter, 401 Highland Avenue	88
Leslie B. Cutler, South Street	145
Frank W. Gorse, 162 Hunnewell Street	69
Julius F. Haller, 9 Coulton Park	90
Blanks	70

Town Committee

Leslie B. Cutler, South Street	182
David Murdoch, 39 Garden Street	159
Ruth H. Gillett, 205 Harris Avenue	138
Wendell E. Ryerson, 4 Coulton Park	125
Florence L. Lyman, 34 Bradford Street	138
Meyer J. Gordon, 54 Garden Street	141
Frank I. Sewall, 170 Chestnut Street	131
Herbert W. Hansen, 24 Bradford Street	131
Leonard Vara, 39 Central Avenue	127
James I. Forsyth, 2 Holland Terrace	120
Thomas E. Norris, 221 Nehoiden Street	125
Edward A. Coppinger, 327 Highland Avenue	158
Alphonse Chiappisi, 151 Hillside Avenue	122
Merritt W. Bardwell, South Street	123
Harold B. Church, 240 Harris Avenue	148
Gilbert W. C. Cox, 682 Great Plain Avenue	137
Harold A. Smith, 65 Manning Street	128
Arthur H. Godfrey, 85 High Street	150
Julius F. Haller, 9 Coulton Park	157
Herbert L. Moore, 730 Webster Street	135
Sarah A. L. Kennedy, 18 Alfreton Road	126
Harry J. Robinson, 151 Fair Oaks Park	152
Marion L. Johnson, 143 Manning Street	128
Emma F. Leach, 791 Webster Street	140
Elizabeth G. Merrill, South Street	136
Gertrude M. Eichler, 53 Powers Street	130
Ray C. Hall, 23 Kingsbury Street	147
Charles W. Harrison, 868 Great Plain Avenue	131
Blanks	6,930

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Member of State Committee

Vincent H. Carolan of Norwood	2
John Joseph Cleary of Norwood	18
Blanks	7

Delegates to State Convention

Fred L. Fanning, 899 Webster Street	21
Blanks	6

Town Committee

Charles M. Donahue, 3 Marshall Street	23
John F. Gilfoil, 36 Linden Street	22
James P. Coyle, 3 Fairview Terrace	22
Mary E. Fitzgerald, 148 Nehoiden Street	22
Alice K. Gaughan, 86 Maple Street	22
John T. Kenney, Charles River Street	22
Harold J. Kenrick, 41 Coolidge Avenue	22
Grace M. Maloney, 60 Grant Street	22
Louise M. Ryan, 642 Great Plain Avenue	22
Julia T. Mullan, 89 Maple Street	22
Blanks	49

Tabulation of Voting by Districts

	Male		Female	
District	Republican	Democrat	Republican	Democrat
1	32	2	26	1
2	31	3	18	0
3	28	3	21	2
4	24	6	11	4
5	27	3	13	3
	142	17	89	10

The business of the meeting being completed, all the ballots cast and the undistributed ballots were sealed and endorsed by the election officers and placed in the custody of the Town Clerk.

Dissolved at 9.15 o'clock, P.M., April twenty-four, nineteen hundred and thirty-four.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Needham, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in said Town Hall, **Thursday, the twentieth day of September, 1934,** at 12.00 M. o'clock for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth.
Lieutenant-Governor for this Commonwealth.
Secretary of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth.
Treasurer and Receiver-General for this Commonwealth.
Auditor of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth.
Attorney General for this Commonwealth.
Senator in Congress for this Commonwealth.
Representative in Congress for the 13th Congressional District.
Councillor for the 2nd Councillor District.
Senator for the Norfolk and Middlesex Senatorial District.
Two Representatives in General Court for the 1st Norfolk Representative District.
District Attorney for the Southeastern District.
Clerk of Courts for Norfolk County.
Register of Deeds for Norfolk County.
One County Commissioner for Norfolk County.
Two Associate County Commissioners for Norfolk County.
Register of Probate and Insolvency (to fill vacancy) for Norfolk County.

The polls will be open from 12.00 m. to 8.00 p.m.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighth day of September, A. D. 1934.

PARKMAN D. HOWE,
WILLIAM P. McEVOY,
CARLETON G. McINTOSH,
Selectmen of Needham.

Needham, Mass., September 12, 1934.

Norfolk, ss.

By virtue of this Warrant, I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Needham to meet as within directed, by posting true and attested copies of this Warrant in twenty public places in said Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

RUSSELL C. WILLIAMS,
Constable of Needham.

A true copy of Warrant and Officer's Return.
Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS.
Town Clerk.

RECORD OF THE STATE PRIMARY

September 20, 1934

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs was held in the Town Hall in said Town on Thursday, the twentieth day of September, in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-four at 12 M. o'clock, for the purpose of nominating state and county officers.

The meeting was called to order by Selectman Carleton G. McIntosh at 12 M.

The warrant and officer's return was read by the Town Clerk.

Charles M. Donahue
Mary E. Fitzgerald
Julia T. Mullan
Florence H. Fitzgerald
William S. Whelan
Mary A. Casey
Grace M. Maloney
Myra R. Kingsbury
and Annie M. Gilfoil
Margaret O. Chase
Armstrong Beattie
Jerry Bond, Jr.
Charles I. Ruggles
Ruberta B. Farnham
Grace E. Morris
Lemont D. Litchfield
Annette L. Freeman

having been appointed as ballot clerks were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk. Cards of instruction and specimen ballots were posted as required by General Law.

The package containing the ballots received from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered to the ballot clerks and their receipt taken therefor. The ballot boxes were publicly opened and shown to be empty, then locked and the keys given to Russell C. Williams, the officer in attendance at the polls.

The polls were opened for the reception of ballots at 12 o'clock M., and in pursuance of the warrant were kept open until eight o'clock in the evening.

The following were appointed as tellers and sworn to the faithful performance of their duties:

Ernest R. Keith
Anna T. Neas
Josephine Bois
Robert J. Willgoose
Della A. Beale
Frederick C. Newey
Meddie J. Blais
Martha Doyle
John F. McCarty
George E. Irving
Alice K. Gaughan
Mabel E. Nason
Jean Cameron
George A. Nickerson
Muriel McCune
George F. La Chance
Leo A. Cloutier
James A. Fitzgerald

Francis F. Craft	Francis J. Doran
E. Bertha Behnke	Katherine M. Bryson
Elise A. Chandler	Ethel M. Sparkes
Harold L. Loudon	Fred F. Martin
Florence P. Mann	William A. Simmons
Annie T. Murphy	Albion O. Wetherbee
Louise M. Ryan	George Ferran
Katherine G. Crowley	Ralph Eichler
Louis A. Langdale	Floyd G. Hatch
Melville W. Grant	Florence W. Carman
Dorothy B. Eldridge	Caroline Cameron

At eight o'clock the polls were declared closed and the ballots were taken from the boxes and audibly counted by the presiding officer and announced as two thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (2,871).

The check lists showed the following:

District	Republican	Democratic
1	584	23
2	597	25
3	523	55
4	479	57
5	457	71
Total	2,640	231

District	Men	Women	Total
1	305	302	607
2	322	300	622
3	300	278	578
4	281	255	536
5	297	231	528
	1,505	1,366	2,871

The ballots were duly sorted and counted and resulted as follows, viz.:

DEMOCRATIC

For Govenor

Charles H. Cole of Boston	89
James M. Curley of Boston	117
Frank A. Goodwin of Boston	14
Blanks	11

For Lieutenant-Governor

Joseph L. Hurley of Fall Rover	123
Francis E. Kelly of Boston	64
Blanks	44

For Secretary

Joseph Santosuosso of Boston	75
James P. Blake of Boston	11
John J. Buckley of Boston	44
James Joseph Dugan of Quincy	2
John D. O'Brien of Boston	6
Clement A. Riley of Norwood	18
William F. Sullivan of Boston	22
Blanks	53

For Treasurer

Charles F. Hurley of Cambridge	171
Blanks	60

For Auditor

Thomas H. Buckley of Abington	135
Leo D. Walsh of Boston	34
Blanks	62

For Attorney-General

Paul A. Dever of Cambridge	79
John Martin Boyle of Boston	24
Philip A. Chapman of Boston	19
Harold W. Sullivan of Boston	45
Blanks	64

For Senator in Congress

David I. Walsh of Fitchburg	154
Edward P. Barry of Boston	43
William Donahoe of Boston	8
Blanks	26

For Congressman Thirteenth District

Andrew T. Clancy of Brockton	97
Francis H. Foy of Quincy	59
Blanks	75

For Councillor Second District

John Joseph Cheever of Boston	54
Leo J. Halloran of Quincy	98
Blanks	79

For Senator Norfolk and Middlesex District

J. Ambrose O'Connor of Dover	144
Blanks	87

For Representatives in General Court First Norfolk District

Patrick Berkeley Carr of Dedham	137
Blanks	325

For District Attorney, Southeastern District

Edmund R. Dewing of Wellesley	159
Blanks	72

For Clerk of Courts, Norfolk County

Blanks	231

For Register of Deeds, Norfolk County

Blanks	231

For County Commissioner, Norfolk County

Blanks	231

For Associate Commissioners, Norfolk County

Blanks	462

For Register of Probate and Insolvency, Norfolk County (To fill vacancy)

Bennett V. McLaughlin of Holbrook	108
Blanks	123

REPUBLICAN

For Governor

Gaspar G. Brown of Boston	1,813
Frank A. Goodwin of Boston	660
Blanks	167

For Lieutenant-Governor

John W. Haigis of Greenfield	2,130
Blanks	510

For Secretary

Frederic W. Cook of Somerville	2,130
Blanks	510

For Treasurer

Oscar U. Dionne of New Bedford	1,357
Thomas M. Vinson of Winchester	619
Blanks	664

For Auditor

Elizabeth W. Pigeon of Boston	1,020
Elmer P. Atherton of Revere	111
Alonzo B. Cook of Boston	998
Irma Adelaide Rich of Boston	58
Blanks	453

For Attorney-General

Joseph E. Warner of Taunton	2,070
Blanks	570

For Senator in Congress

Robert M. Washburn of Boston	2,014
Blanks	626

For Congressman, Thirteenth District

Albert H. Southwick of Weymouth	303
Richard B. Wigglesworth of Milton	1,873
Blanks	464

For Councillor, Second District

Harrison H. Atwood of Boston	670
Raymond F. Barrett of Milton	535
Joseph B. Grossman of Quincy	818
Blanks	617

For Senator, Norfolk and Middlesex District

Samuel H. Wragg of Needham	2,061
Blanks	579

For Representatives in General Court, First Norfolk District

Leslie B. Cutler of Needham	1,482
James M. McCracken of Needham	1,674
Mason Sears of Dedham	632
Sydney M. Williams of Wellesley	728
Blanks	764

For District Attorney, Southeastern District

Edmund R. Dewing of Wellesley	2,147
Peter W. Pate of Brookline	147
Blanks	346

For Clerk of Courts, Norfolk County

Robert B. Worthington of Dedham	2,049
Blanks	591

For Register of Deeds, Norfolk County

Walter W. Chambers of Dedham	2,007
Blanks	633

For County Commissioner, Norfolk County

Edward Avery of Braintree	448
William L. Elcock of Brookline	196
John A. Frederickson of Randolph	87
Frederick A. Leavitt of Brookline	1,208
Blanks	701

For Associate Commissioners, Norfolk County

Ernest H. Gilbert of Stoughton	1,521
Alexander B. Holden of Medway	1,307
Richard Clyde Wildes of Braintree	371
Blanks	2,081

For Register of Probate and Insolvency, Norfolk County (To fill vacancy)

Arthur G. Chapman of Braintree	617
Bennett V. McLaughlin of Holbrook	570
James F. Reynolds of Quincy	710
Blanks	743

The business of the meeting being completed, all the ballots cast and the undistributed ballots were sealed and endorsed by the Election Officers and placed in the custody of the Town Clerk.

Declaration of the result of the votes cast was made and the meeting was dissolved at 11.55 P.M., September 20, 1934.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

November 6, 1934

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Needham, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Town, on **Tuesday, the sixth day of November, 1934,** at 6.45 in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes for the following officers, viz.:

Governor for this Commonwealth.
Lieutenant-Governor for this Commonwealth.
Secretary of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth.
Treasurer for this Commonwealth.
Auditor of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth.
Attorney-General for this Commonwealth.
Senator in Congress for this Commonwealth.
Representative in Congress for the 13th Congressional District.
Councillor for the 2nd Councillor District.
Senator for the Norfolk and Middlesex Senatorial District.
Two Representatives in General Court for the 1st Norfolk Representative District.
District Attorney for the Southeastern District.
Clerk of Courts for Norfolk County.
Register of Deeds for Norfolk County.
One County Commissioner for Norfolk County.
Two Associate County Commissioners for Norfolk County.
Register of Probate and Insolvency (to fill vacancy) for Norfolk County.

Questions

Law submitted upon referendum petition.

1

Shall a law described as follows:

This law amends General Laws, chapter 131, as previously amended, by repealing section 105A thereof and adding thereto three new sections 105B, 105C, and 114A.

Section 105B provides that whoever uses any trap or other device for capture of fur-bearing animals, which is not designed to kill such animal at once or to take it unhurt and which is likely to cause continued suffering to an animal caught therein, shall be fined fifty dollars, but traps or other devices for protection of property, set not more than fifty yards from any building, cultivated plot, or enclosures used for rearing poultry or game birds, to the use of which the presence of vermin may be detrimental, are excluded from the application of this section.

Section 105C provides for the submission to the voters at a municipal election in any city or town upon petition, of the question of whether the operation of section 105B shall be suspended or if it has been already suspended, of the question whether it shall again be operative in such city or town.

Section 114A provides that the Commissioner of Conservation may suspend the operation of Section 105B for a period not exceeding thirty days within any specified territory under the control of his department.

The law also provides for the submission, by the Selectmen to the voters at a special town meeting in the current year, upon petition of the question as to whether the provisions of section 105B shall be suspended in any town; and which was approved by both branches of the General Court by vote not recorded, be approved?

YES	
NO	

2

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on both of the following questions:

(*a*) If a voter desires to permit the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages in this town he will vote "YES" on both questions.

(*b*) If he desires to permit the sale of wines and malt beverages only herein, he will vote "NO" on question 1 and "YES" on question 2.

(*c*) If he desires to prohibit the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages herein, he will vote "NO" on both questions.

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	
NO	

3

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

YES	
NO	

The polls will be open from 6.45 A.M. to 8.00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of October, A. D. 1934.

PARKMAN D. HOWE,
WILLIAM P. McEVOY,
CARLETON G. McINTOSH,
Selectmen of Needham.

Needham, October 29, 1934.

Norfolk, ss.

By virtue of this warrant, I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Needham to meet as within directed, by posting true and attested copies of this warrant in not less than twenty public places in said Town more than seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

EDWARD A. COPPINGER,
Constable of Needham.

A true copy of warrant and officer's return.
Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

RECORD OF THE STATE ELECTION

November 6, 1934

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Needham qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs was held in the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday, November 6, 1934, at forty-five minutes past six o'clock in the forenoon.

The meeting was called to order by Parkman D. Howe, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

The warrant and officer's return were read by the Town Clerk.

Pursuant to Chapter 54, Section 21 of the General Laws, the Selectmen having appointed:

Charles M. Donahue
Mary E. Fitzgerald
Julia T. Mullan
Florence H. Fitzgerald
William S. Whelan
Mary A. Casey
Annie M. Gilfoil
Grace M. Maloney
Louise M. Ryan
Myra R. Kingsbury
Margaret O. Chase
Armstrong Beattie
Jerry Bond, Jr.
Charles I. Ruggles
Ruberta B. Farnham
Grace E. Morris
Lemont D. Litchfield
and Fred F. Martin

as ballot checks, they were sworn to the faithful discharge of their duties.

Cards of instruction and specimen ballots were posted as required by Chapter 54, Section 48 of the General Laws.

The ballots furnished by the State for use at this election were delivered to the ballot clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

The ballot box was opened and shown to be empty. It was then locked and the key delivered to Edward A. Coppinger, the officer in attendance.

The box for the unofficial ballots, "*Do you favor the licensing of Sunday Moving Pictures in Needham*," was in charge of Russell C. Williams.

The polls were opened at forty-five minutes past six o'clock in the forenoon and kept open until eight o'clock in the afternoon.

The following additional tellers were appointed:

Annie T. Murphy
Josephine Bois
Della A. Beale
Harold S. Loudon
Martha Doyle
Louis A. Langdale
Francis J. Doran
George Ferran
Robert J. Willgoose
Elise A. Chandler
Katherine M. Bryson
Ernest R. Keith
Florence L. Lyman
Emma B. Eastman
Mattie E. Webber
Charles De Fazio
Karl F. Upham
Mary Donati
Gertrude Walsh
Frederick Alexander
Cyril F. Newcomb
Ethel M. Sparkes
Dorothy B. Eldridge
J. Richard Salman
James A. Fitzgerald
Catherine G. Crowley
Floyd G. Hatch
Dominic Carchidi
William A. Simmons
Joseph M. Mastropieri
Wellington Howes, Jr.
Meddie J. Blais
Florence P. Mann
John A. McCarty
George F. La Chance
Mabel E. Nason
Leo A. Cloutier
Anna T. Neas
Bertha Blaisdell
Janet D. Davis
Charles P. Cobb
Helene F. Johnson
May L. McMath
Edith M. Hinds
John H. Taylor
Albion O. Wetherbee
Jean Cameron
Theresa C. Hansis
Nancy V. Welch
Etta V. Duvall
Bertram G. Johnston
Muriel McCune
William W. Hewett
Francis F. Craft
Rose M. Mayers
Harry A. Haszard
George C. Rice
Melville W. Grant
Loretta A. Donahue
Florence W. Carman
Caroline Cameron
George E. Irving

As the ballots were taken from the box they were audibly counted by the Selectmen. At eleven o'clock, fifteen hundred (1,500) ballots were taken from the box; at three o'clock twelve hundred (1,200) ballots were taken from the box and at eight o'clock twenty-one hundred and sixty-five (2,165) ballots were taken from the box.

The total number of ballots cast was forty-eight hundred and sixty-five (4,865). Of these forty-seven were ballots of absent voters.

The vote by districts was as follows:

District	Men	Women	Total
1	490	514	1,004
2	501	510	1,011
3	484	494	978
4	485	468	953
5	538	381	919
	2,498	2,367	4,865

A canvass of all ballots given was made as required by law. Upon the completion of the canvass of all votes cast the result of the voting was declared by the presiding officer to be as follows, viz.:

For Governor

John W. Aiken of Chelsea	10
Gaspar G. Bacon of Boston	3,517
James M. Curley of Boston	1,005
Freeman W. Follett of Haverhill	6
Frank A. Goodwin of Boston	249
Alfred Baker Lewis of Cambridge	31
Edward Stevens of Boston	3
Blanks	44

For Lieutenant-Governor

Elizabeth Donovan of North Brookfield	41
John W. Haigis of Greenfield	3,662
Horace I. Hillis of Saugus	25
Joseph L. Hurley of Fall River	1,011
Florence L. Lawton of Worcester	11
Horace Riley of Boston	6
Blanks	109

For Secretary

Walter Burke of New Bedford	16
Frederic W. Cook of Somerville	3,729
George L. McGlynn of Beverly	15
Leslie A. Richards of South Hadley	35
Joseph Santosuosso of Boston	887
William B. Taylor of Plympton	17
Blanks	166

For Treasurer

Oscar U. Dionne of New Bedford	3,336
William R. Ferry of Newton	74
Thomas Gilmartin of Brookline	28
Charles F. Hurley of Cambridge	1,188
Harry Maltzman of Boston	34
Frederick S. Reynolds of Lynn	12
Blanks	193

For Auditor

Henning A. Blomen of Cambridge	17
Thomas H. Buckley of Abington	1,214
Alonzo B. Cook of Boston	3,213
Walter S. Hutchins of Greenfield	73
Paul Skers of Worcester	9
Blanks	339

For Attorney-General

Morris Berzon of Everett	37
Paul A. Dever of Cambridge	951
Charles A. Flaherty of Saugus	12
George F. Hogan of Nahant	30
Fred E. Oelcher of Peabody	14
Joseph E. Warner of Taunton	3,611
Blanks	210

For Senator in Congress

Albert Sprague Coolidge of Pittsfield	55
W. Barnard Smith of Brookline	38
David I. Walsh of Fitchburg	1,650
Robert M. Washburn of Boston	2,949
Albert L. Waterman of Boston	13
Paul C. Wicks of Greenfield	5
Blanks	155

For Congressman, Thirteenth District

Francis H. Foy of Quincy	1,027
Richard B. Wigglesworth of Milton	3,618
Blanks	220

For Councillor, Second District

Joseph B. Grossman of Quincy	3,457
Leo J. Halloran of Quincy	934
Max H. Hamlin of Boston	75
Blanks	399

For Senator, Norfolk and Middlesex District

J. Ambrose O'Connor of Dover	1,035
Samuel H. Wragg of Needham	3,536
Blanks	294

For Representatives in General Court, First Norfolk District

Patrick Berkeley Carr of Dedham	904
James M. McCracken of Needham	3,668
Mason Sears of Dedham	3,177
Blanks	1,981

For District Attorney, Southeastern District

Edmund R. Dewing of Wellesley	4,152
Blanks	713

For Clerk of Courts, Norfolk County

Robert B. Worthington of Dedham	3,971
Blanks	894

For Register of Deeds, Norfolk County

Walter W. Chambers of Dedham	3,869
Blanks	996

For County Commissioner, Norfolk County

Joseph J. Hart of Randolph	917
Frederick A. Leavitt of Brookline	3,492
Blanks	456

For Associate Commissioners, Norfolk County

Ernest H. Gilbert of Soughton	3,092
Alexander B. Holden of Medway	3,440
Blanks	3,198

For Register of Probate and Insolvency, Norfolk County (To fill vacancy)

Bennett V. McLaughlin of Holbrook	903
James F. Reynolds of Quincy	3,443
Blanks	519

QUESTION No. 1

Law Submitted Upon Referendum After Passage

Shall a law described as follows:

This law amends General Laws, chapter 131, as previously amended, by repealing section 105A thereof and adding thereto three new sections, 105B, 105C, and 114A.

Section 105B provides that whoever uses any trap or other device for capture of fur-bearing animals, which is not designed to kill such animal at once or to take it unhurt and which is likely to cause continued suffering to an animal caught therein, shall be fined fifty dollars, but traps or other devices for protection of property, set not more than fifty yards from any building, cultivated plot, or enclosures used for rearing poultry or game birds, to the use of which the presence of vermin may be detrimental, are excluded from the application of this section.

Section 105C provides for the submission to the voters at a municipal election in any city or town upon petition, of the question of whether the operation of section 105B shall be suspended or if it has been already suspended, of the question whether it shall again be operative in such city or town.

Section 114A provides that the Commissioner of Conservation may suspend the operation of section 105B for a period not exceeding thirty days within any specified territory under the control of his department.

The law also provides for the submission, by the selectmen to the voters at a special town meeting in the current year, upon petition, of the question as to whether the provisions of section 105B shall be suspended in any town; **and which was approved by both branches of the General Court by vote not recorded,** be approved?

	Yes	1,572
	No	1,446
Blanks		1,847

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

	Yes	1,494
	No	2,837
Blanks		534

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

	Yes	1,902
	No	2,379
Blanks		584

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

	Yes	2,411
	No	1,850
Blanks		604

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

	Yes	1,633
	No	2,409
Blanks		823

UNOFFICIAL BALLOT

Do you favor the licensing of Sunday Moving Pictures in Needham?

	Yes	2,669
	No	1,857
Blanks		74

The business of the meeting having been completed, all the ballots cast, the undistributed ballots and lists of voters used by the checkers were sealed up and endorsed by the election officers and placed in the custody of the Town Clerk.

The returns of the votes cast were signed by the Selectmen and attested by the Town Clerk.

Declaration of the result of the votes cast was made and the meeting was dissolved at forty-five minutes past one o'clock in the forenoon, November 7, 1934.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

VOTE FOR REPRESENTATIVE

First Norfolk District

Norfolk, ss.

Pursuant to Section 125 of Chapter 54, General Laws, the Clerks of the towns of Dedham, Needham and Wellesley, comprising the First Norfolk Representative District, at their meeting in said Needham on the eighteenth day of November, A.D., 1934, made the following schedule of names of all persons for whom votes for Representatives in the General Court were cast in said district on November 6, 1934, and the number of votes for each as follows, viz.:

Patrick Berkeley Carr of Dedham had	2,354
James M. McCracken of Needham had ...	2,416
Mason Sears of Dedham had	3,722

DON GLEASON HILL,
Town Clerk of Dedham.
JOHN T. RYAN,
Town Clerk of Wellesley.
CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk of Needham.

PETITION FOR RECOUNT

A petition, under Chapter 54, Section 135, of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for a recount of the ballots cast for Secretary of the Commonwealth at the State Election held November 6, 1934, was received December 6, 1934. A canvass of all ballots cast was made December 11, 1934, with the following results, viz.:

Walter Burke of New Bedford.....	16
Frederic W. Cook of Somerville	3,733
George L. McGlynn of Beverly	17
Leslie A. Richards of South Hadley	32
Joseph Santosuosso of Boston	884
William B. Taylor of Plympton	19
Blanks	164

The canvass was completed at 11.15 A.M., December 11, 1934. Joseph Santosuosso was represented at the recount. All members of the Board of Registrars were present.

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

OFFICERS QUALIFIED

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss.

Personally appeared before me on the dates set against their several names the following persons who were elected March 12, 1934, and made oath that they would faithfully perform the duties of the office to which they were respectively elected:

1934
Mar.
12 Samuel H. Wragg, Moderator
12 Clarence E. Foss, Town Clerk
13 Carleton G. McIntosh, Selectman
13 Parkman D. Howe, Selectman
13 William P. McEvoy, Selectman
13 Charles E. Stanwood, Treasurer
13 Percy E. Wye, School Committee
13 Arthur H. Godfrey, Assessor (Statute Oath)
13 Henry Godfrey, Tax Collector
13 Arthur W. Rohn, Town Planning Board
14 Charles H. Davis, Public Welfare
14 Catherine F. Tappan, Public Welfare
14 Austin H. Keyes, Public Welfare
14 Marion L. Johnson, Trustee of Public Library
14 Roland C. March, School Committee
16 Edward A. Coppinger, Constable
17 Russell C. Williams, Constable
17 J. Merrill Boyd, Trustee of Public Library
20 Parkman D. Howe, Highway Surveyor and Town Agent
20 Carleton G. McIntosh, Highway Surveyor and Town Agent
20 William P. McEvoy, Highway Surveyor and Town Agent

Apr.
4 Arthur H. Whetton, Public Weigher
13 Elizabeth Ryan, Public Weigher
13 Frederick A. Whetton, Public Weigher
18 James H. Whetton, Public Weigher and Measurer of Wood and Bark
18 James H. Whetton, Trustee of Memorial Park
18 Amos H. Shepherdson, Trustee of Memorial Park
18 Amos H. Shepherdson, Commissioner of Trust Funds

18 Robert N. McClellan, Board of Health
23 Henry K. Morse, Public Weigher and Measurer of Wood and Bark
23 Albert J. Ravinski, Public Weigher
23 Nellie Burkett, Public Weigher
30 Ernest W. Starratt, Jr., Public Weigher

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

DOG LICENSES

Town Clerk's Report of Money Received.

630	Male dogs at $2.00	$1,260 00
163	Female dogs at $5.00	815 00
206	Female spayed dogs at $2.00	412 00
1	Breeder's License at $25.00	25 00
		$2,512 00
1000	Licenses at 20c	$200 00
	Amount paid Town Treasurer	$2,312 00

HUNTING, FISHING AND TRAPPING LICENSES

147	Citizens' Fishing Licenses at $2.00	$294 00
124	Citizens' Hunting Licenses at $2.00	248 00
73	Citizens' Sporting Licenses at $3.25	237 25
24	Women's and Minor's Fishing Licenses at $1.25	30 00
7	Citizen's Trapping Licenses at $5.25	36 75
15	Citizen's Sporting Licenses, Free	
1	Non-Resident Fishing License at $5.25	5 25
2	Duplicate Licenses at 50c	1 00
5	Minor Trapping Licenses at $2.25	11 25
398	Total licenses issued	$863 50
381	Licenses at 25c	95 25
	Amount paid Division of Fisheries and Game	$768 25

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1934

Births

1934

Jan.

2 Loretta Ann Signore; Mariano and Jennie
4 William Martin Webb; William H. and Kathryn E.
7 Wendell Freeman Mullen; Arthur and Esther
8 James William Cauger; James W. and Charlotte A.
10 Charlotte Elizabeth Phillips; Otis S. and Gladys K.
16 Robert Garfield Lane; William G. and Doris M.
18 Barbara Elizabeth Simmons; Charles E. and Mary F.
19 William Henry Breakey; Richard H. and Lillian M.
23 William Bainbridge Leonard; Edward P. Jr., and Madeleine
23 Carol Jean Newman; George W. Jr., and Frances G.
25 Meta Kelley; Stillman F. 2nd., and Grace K.
26 Mary Alice Haskell; Daniel M. and Alice M.
26 Barton Wheeler Wood; John F. and Dorothy M.

Feb.

2 Garth Havelock Gaetz; Isaac A. and Winnifred
3 Mary Elaine McDonnell; David C. and Mary L.
6 Eleanor Ann Bond; Jerry, Jr., and Evelyn L.
10 Thomas Albert Powell; William D. and Eliza E.
11 Phillip Rice Delano; Chester K. and Florence
12 George Burton Palmer; Burton M. and Mary
16 Barbara Elizabeth Owen; Walter H. and Elizabeth
17 Robert Hubert Compton; Hubert O. and Marie P.
22 John Joseph Walsh; Patrick and Barbara
25 Allene Elizabeth Hayward; Jesse I. and Agnes M.
25 Robert George Wye; Ellis F. and Ruth E.
26 Carl Arthur Gordon; Meyer J. and Edith F.
27 John Anthony Sammarco; Carmine and Lucy D.

Mar.

3 Edward Joseph Mays; Philip M. and Gladys E.
3 Nicola Bibbo, Jr.; Nicola and Marie D.
4 Ellen Claire Scarry; Norman F. and Helen G.
8 Myrton Delano MacGray; Frederick E. and Myrtle M.
9 Roger Thomas Joy; Thomas P. and Gladys C.
10 Richard Allen Gavel; Nicholas C. and Ellen K.
13 Ann Mary Shepherdson; Amos H. and Dorothy B.
13 Joan Frances Chilson; Lawrence W. and Edna L.
14 Clyde James Kay; James and Isabel L.
15 David Woodward Rice; Russell J. and Isabel
17 Douglas Gene Maguire; Walter L. and Jean M.
20 Raeburn Burton Hathaway, Jr.; Raeburn B. and Christina L.
23 Alexander Malcolm Hay; Alexander F. and Evelyn M.
25 Mary Kathleen Gates; Harry A. and Amy V.

Apr.
2 Marilyn Barbara Smith; Henry E. and Elizabeth
4 Mary Helen Ravinski; John and Josephine M.
5 Allan Marshall Eldridge; William H. and Thelma
10 Robert Winslow Smith; James H. and Helen E.
12 Dorothy Frost Angell; Richard S. and Dorothy F.
13 Doris Laurel Jeffery; Frederick A., Jr. and Willia L.
13 John Paul Nichols; John C. and Mary L.
13 Robert Edward Ryall; Edward A. and Helen F.
19 Pamela Beebe; Marcus and Lillian
19 Decius Beebe; Marcus and Lillian
23 Howard Allen Hall; George B. and Margaret
23 Norman Richard Angell; Cyril N. and Catherine
27 Bradley Walker Nutting; Earle and Leslie
29 Herbert Diaz Schofield; Francis M. and Consuelo C.

May
1 Caroline Harriet Coleman; Roy C. and Mildred
1 Margaret Britta Lee; Jesse R. and Mary
2 Richard Frank Peare; Richard S. and Elsie M.
3 Joanne Lora Hysom; Roscoe H. and Edna L.
7 Donald Norman Wood; Albert E. and Beatrice E.
9 Barbara Elaine Bryer; Charles E. and Helen L.
11 Lorencia Baskiewicz; Stanislaw and Mary
11 Patricia Ann Belmont; Albert A. and Bernice M.
12 Helen Virginia Allen; John P. and Annie E.
13 Gary Hopkins Underhill; Chester B. and Nina A.
14 Ernestine Louise Johnson; Amos B. and Marion
14 Evelyn Loretta Greenwood; Percy and Evelyn
16 Joyce Elaine Everson; Robert L. and Dorothy H.
18 Peter Woll; Albert J. T. and Hazel B.
21 Nancy Stewart Coombs; George F. and Pearl V.
19 ——— Sedergran; Alfred D. and Marion
19 ——— Sedergran; Alfred D. and Marion
29 Carol Densmore Latham; Robert J. and C. Ruth

June
1 Kenneth Alfred Lambert; Rufus A. and Elsie S.
1 Priscilla Ann Gray; Daniel T. and Joanna E.
1 Mary Frances Kirchdorfer; John G. and Mary E.
5 Andrew Francis Picariello; Michael and Flora
6 Paul Davis Whetton; John J. and Winifred I.
9 Elizabeth Anne Morse; Carlton D. and Doris M.
11 Agnes Jean Money; David P. and Agnes C.
12 Thelma Catherine Thompson; Arthur E. and Catherine
13 Jean Frances Orlinski; Joseph M. and Elizabeth M.
14 Charles Frederick Stark; Frank E. and Selena
21 David Robert Simon; Harry H. and Esther R.
21 Donald Augustus Giumetti; Nello and Grace

June
27 Kenneth Bryant Lewis; Benjamin and Norma
28 Warren Frederick Newton; George R. and Grace M.

July
5 Lawrence Savignano, 3rd.; Lawrence, Jr., and Jane
9 Marjorie Sarah Brady; John E. and Gertrude A.
11 John Robert Barrett; John J. and Marjorie B.
14 Barbara Ann Danforth; Vernon F. and Winifred
18 Wayland Edward Vaughan; Wayland F. and Clara F.
19 Roy Ford; Robert A. and Violet E.
20 Lois Munroe Hawkins; Frederick D. and Lillian E.
20 Marion Estelle Hauptman; Frank S. and Rose L.
20 Frederick Andrew Rogers; John F. and Ethel M.
21 Elizabeth Jane Guild; Charles L. and Elizabeth S.
24 Frederick Cameron; James T. and Eleanor M.
25 Constance Mae Atkinson; David L. and Evelyn E.
26 Audrey Jane Southworth; Charles and Audrey
30 Evelyn June Atkinson; Everett P. and Winnifred J.

Aug.
6 Joan Elizabeth Goldsberry; Robert J., Jr., and Lillian O.
6 Nancy Jean O'Brien; Henry S. and Margaret A.
9 ——— Maffiola; Nick and Raphael
10 Ruth Joan Weiss; George J. and Ruth S.
11 Illegitimate
11 Marco Robert Motta; John and Vincenza
12 Joan Louise Fraser; Charles H. and Margaret L.
19 Patricia Ann Welch; Harold R. and Blanche A.
23 Alice Marie Bakanowsky; Anthony and Alice
26 Eugene Franklin McCulloch, Jr.; Eugene F. and Evelyn I.
29 Pauline Eva Ferran; George H. and Violet E.
31 Lena Phillis Vecchio; Frank and Christina

Sept.
2 Stillborn
6 Arthur Eugene Hopkins; Preston E. and Hermance
21 Betty Jean Wellman; Raymond A. and Marjorie L.
21 Walter Cardinalli; Aldo and Eside
30 Stillborn

Oct.
4 Joan Marie Goddard; William I. and Rose A.
5 David Wilson Morse; John G. and Hazel
10 Patricia Ann Coyle; James P. and Nora M.
12 George Colombo Funari; Fredrico and Adorna M.
14 Clarice Mae Cutler; Horace W., Jr., and Rachel E.
19 Ann Fitzpatrick; Francis X. and Martha J.
24 Edward Coburn Meyer; Reginald L. L. and Elizabeth

Nov.
4 Marie Antoinette Forte; James and Natalie J.
4 Natalie Agnes Forte; James and Natalie J.
4 Jeanette Marie Hagan; Joseph and Catherine
5 Shirley Ann Gibson; Francis W., Jr., and Emilie E.
10 Keith Gordon Douglas, Jr.; Keith G. and Sarah
11 Jaqueline Ann Keith; John A. and Ethel I.
13 Benjamin Garfield Marshall, 2nd.; Benj. G. and Bessie E.
15 Nancy Ann Sherman; Howard F. and Ruth F.
16 Dorothy Ann Spicer; Arthur V. and Agnes
21 Illegitimate
24 William Frank Gehling; Raymond L. and Anna T.

Dec.
1 John Patten Bailey, William A. and Doris N.
19 John Alfred Costa, John and Anna Maria
25 Robert Kirchdorfer, Frederick M. and Theodora I.
29 Janet Norma Maida, Nicholas J. and Margaret V.

Males	70
Females	69
Both parents native born	81
One parent native born	45
Both parents foreign born	13

NOTICE

The attention of parents is called to the law relating to the registering of Births. The present requirements are as follows:

Chapter 29, Section 6, of the Revised Laws. Parents within forty days after the birth of a child . . . shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town or city in which such child is born.

Section 8. A parent . . . who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, . . . shall forfeit not more than five dollars for each offense.

Attention of Physicians and Midwives is Called to
Chapter 280, Section 1, Acts of 1912

Section 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred, a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offense.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Town Clerk is prepared to furnish to parents, physicians, and midwives applying therefor, blanks for return of births as required by law.

MARRIAGES, 1934

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Jan.				
3	William R. Herd	Boston, Mass.	Nashua, N. H.	Frederick J. Gaffney
	Jeannette Boschen	Needham, Mass.		Justice of the Peace
8	Joseph Edward Colford	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Dorothy Marie Pidgeon	Needham, Mass.		
13	Robert Burnham Glidden	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
	Josephine Starkweather	Needham, Mass.		
15	Archidell Woodward	Needham, Mass.	Wellesley, Mass.	Rev. J. Burford Parry.
	Dora Clancy	Boston, Mass.		
20	Herbert Lane Holgar Johnson	Brighton, Mass.	Brighton, Mass.	Rev. Silas Whitman Anthony
	Violet Rachel Lee	Needham, Mass.		
20	Joseph Edmund Trumbour	Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Robert M. Mantle
	Marie Laurencia Cassidy	Newton, Mass.		
26	Herbert Winship Hansen	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall
	Olive Anita Antin Reed	Needham, Mass.		
Feb.				
1	John Joseph Field	Wainscott, N. Y.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Mary Bagley	Needham, Mass.		
3	John Joseph Daley	Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Dennis H. Donovan
	Elizabeth Newcomb	Ware, Mass.		
4	Kenneth Carleton Parker	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Edith Bernadette Zdankowski	Needham, Mass.		
10	Newton Gay Pendleton	Everett, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. C. H. Davis
	Margery Bacon	Winchester, Mass.		
10	James Louis Canessa	Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Dennis H. Donovan
	Margaret Janet Morin	Needham, Mass.		
11	Ralph Garey Cabozzi	Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Dennis H. Donovan
	Gertrude Marie Wainwright	Needham, Mass.		
21	Kenneth V. Kimball	Boston, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
	Barbara L. Hunt	Melrose, Mass.		

MARRIAGES, 1934 — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Official Station of Person by whom Married
Feb. 22	Arthur Bishop Anderson Esther Crouse	Wellesley, Mass. Portage Lake, Me.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
Mar. 2	George Ellsworth Warren Margaret Edith Hanselpacker	Needham, Mass. Waltham, Mass.	Waltham, Mass.	Rev. George O. Ekwall
3	Francis James Colton Cora Mae Provenshia	Needham, Mass. Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. G. Vaughn Shedd
6	William H. Parsons Ina Isnor	Roslindale, Mass. Roslindale, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Winthrop M. Southworth Justice of the Peace
9	Hector J. Kimball Marguerite V. Harrison	Roslindale, Mass. Roslindale, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Winthrop M. Southworth Justice of the Peace
23	William Kellum Porter Elinor Louise Day	Brookline, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Nashua, N. H.	Neil Tolman Justice of the Peace
29	Chester Robinson Archibald Edna Roberta Goucher	Needham, Mass. Milton, Mass.	Quincy, Mass.	Rev. Wm. Nicholl
31	Arthur Elliott Thompson Catherine McDonnell	Needham, Mass. Brookline, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
31	Robert Hooper Inez Elvira Wills	Newton, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall
Apr. 4	Arthur George Curren, Jr. Ruth Eunice Allen	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. George E. Harris
4	Lester Waldo Smith Irene Patricia Galvin	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
7	Frederick William Tetzlaff Elizabeth Virginia Darrah	Providence, R. I. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
7	John James Casey, Jr. Rosalla Mary Bettey	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Otter River, Mass.	Rev. John J. Callahan
8	Felix Stanley Glovasky Helen Mary Dolitka	Waltham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Dennis H. Donovan

19	John Mulvey Cusack Julia Genevieve King	Arlington, Mass. Dorchester, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
19	Larry Peter Salvucci Velina Pandolf	Boston, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Clarence E. Foss Justice of the Peace
20	Gordon Brown Castle Alice Victoria Ferguson	Boston, Mass. Boston, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hector Ferguson
29	Roger Whyte Katie Bridget Barry	Needham, Mass. Cambridge, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
May				
6	Franklin Farrand Brooks Dorothy Katherine Kerivan	Needham, Mass. Newton, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
12	Owen James Finnegan Rosa Hinden	Wellesley Hills, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Wellesley, Mass.	Rev. James M. Somers
21	Arthur Cyril Wickson Jessie Lonley	Needham, Mass. Worcester, Mass.	Worcester, Mass.	Rev. Robert J. Nicholl
21	Edward John Grandmont Violet Louise Kilsby	Brockton, Mass. Brockton, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Winthrop M. Southworth Justice of the Peace
22	Thomas Joseph McDaniel Elva Hazel Colburn	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Nashua, N. H.	Rev. Wm. Porter Niles
25	Frederick Leopold William Richardson, Jr. Helen Warren	Needham, Mass. Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. Phillips E. Osgood
26	Lewis Ernest Hart Edith May Russell	Needham, Mass. Allston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. William D. Goble
26	Kenneth Sidney Roscoe Helen Winifred Gates	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. C. H. Davis
June				
2	Edmund Waldo Trowbridge Mildred Evelyn Hunter	Newton, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
3	Lee Eagle Langford Dorothy Eleanor Thissell	Needham, Mass. Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Joseph C. McDonald
9	Joseph A. Donahue Helen Turner	Melrose, Mass. Melrose, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Winthrop M. Southworth Justice of the Peace
10	James Thoburn Helms Alice Frances Cooke	Watertown, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. Edgar J. Helms

MARRIAGES, 1934 — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Official Station of Person by whom Married
12	Thomas Neill	Needham, Mass.	Salem, N. H.	Rev. Howard T. Joslyn
	Doris Shaw	Dover, Mass.		
13	Herbert A. Murray	Needham, Mass.	Troy, N. Y.	Judge Edward L. Nugent
	Frances J. Dunn	Needham, Mass.		
14	Arthur William Stanfield	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
	Jessie Olive Kenney	Needham, Mass.		
16	Albert Jackson	Needham, Mass.	East Jaffrey, N. H.	Rev. Geo. Gerald Parker
	Mildred Ware	Natick, Mass.		
17	Henry Lawton Armstrong	Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Daniel F. Dunn
	Bertha Jane Precious	Newton, Mass.		
20	Angelo Joseph Rich	Natick, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Margaret O'Neil	Needham, Mass.		
21	Robert James Kenworthy	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Elizabeth Patricia Piccola	Hartford, Conn.		
24	Victor Herbert Monson	Boston, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Harriet Elizabeth Forsyth	Natick, Mass.		
24	Irving Madison Marz	Needham, Mass.	Quincy, Mass.	Rev. Frederick E. Buck
	Sarah Millicent Lewis	Quincy, Mass.		
25	Robert Edward Newton	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Hilda Marie Clarke	Needham, Mass.		
25	Joseph Louis Marchand	Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Daniel F. Dunn
	Mildred Alice Geyer	Needham, Mass.		
28	Robert T. Clapp	New Haven, Conn.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Edwin H. Byington
	Marian J. Blakeslee	Boston, Mass.		
July				
18	Francis Roger Barberio	Newton, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Clarence E. Foss
	Mary Scandale	Newton, Mass.		Justice of the Peace
28	Thomas J. Hooper	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Wilhelmina L. Hutchins	Needham, Mass.		

Aug.				
2	Ernest Edward Riley	Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath
	Eleanor Goodwin Wing	Needham, Mass.		
4	Avon Frederick Wallace	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. C. H. Davis
	Helen Parker Cross	Needham, Mass.		
4	Stephen Colin Godfrey	Needham, Mass.	Wellesley, Mass.	Rev. Newton Black
	Hazel Evelyn Corliss	Wellesley, Mass.		
4	Mato Nardo Giumetti	Needham, Mass.	West Boylston, Mass.	Rev. Ralph E. Danforth
	Angeline Rotando	West Boylston, Mass.		
4	John Richard Cameron	Roslindale, Mass.	Providence, R. I.	Alexander L. Churchill
	Grace Frances Bell	Needham, Mass.		Asso. Just. Superior Court
7	Charles Marshall Stewart	Needham, Mass.	Providence, R. I.	Maurice Robinson
	Alberta May Brezee	Boston, Mass.		Justice Police Court
16	Joseph George Hausman	Athol, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Marion Frances Digney	Needham, Mass.		
22	Lester Elmer Ribero	Franklin, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Clarence E. Foss
	Mary Victoria Cole	Worcester, Mass.		Justice of the Peace
27	Victor Thomas Donati	Needham, Mass.	Gardner, Mass.	Rev. John A. Keaney
	Victoria Helen Balcikonis	Gardner, Mass.		
Sept.				
1	Emilio Bacchiochi	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Clarence E. Foss
	Clara Rossi	Needham, Mass.		Justice of the Peace
1	Ernest Butler	Cambridge, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry Woods Kimball
	Gladys Irene Duff	Belmont, Mass.		
1	Ralph Elbridge Trower	Needham, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. David K. Montgomery
	Mabel Gertrude Saltmarsh	East Milton, Mass.		
1	Frank Perry Pickett	Needham, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. Daniel Bliss
	Helen Victoria Svedeman	Boston, Mass.		
15	Carl Heyn	Dedham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Clarence E. Foss
	Margaret Sweeney	Dedham, Mass.		Justice of the Peace
15	Wendell Lewis Williams	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. C. H. Davis
	Ethel Louise Veinotte	Needham, Mass.		
16	Francis Joseph Connors	Natick, Mass.	Natick, Mass.	Rev. Thomas E. Sweeney
	Barbara Walker Brooks	Needham, Mass.		

MARRIAGES, 1934 — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Full Name of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Official Station of Person by whom Married
19	Avery L. Kempton Georgianna T. Foote	Medfield, Mass. Medfield, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Winthrop M. Southworth Justice of the Peace
23	Joseph Sorrentino Mary Anna Coletti	Needham, Mass. Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. James G. Fahey
28	Robert William Brooks Harriett Louise Wilson	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. C. H. Davis
29	Victor Francis Savilonis Melvina Burnice Pigaga	Needham, Mass. Norwood, Mass.	Norwood, Mass.	Rev. Stephen P. Kneizis
Oct. 3	Hobart Ames Spalding Alice Evelyn Burr	Milton, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Abbot Peterson
6	Edward Sawyer Dik Barbara Blanche Fellows	Needham, Mass. Gloucester, Mass.	Gloucester, Mass.	Rev. Albert A. Madsen
7	Ralph Henry Shannon Ruth Elizabeth Steeves	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. William F. Grant
7	Edwin William Bumpus Mary Beatrice Newman	Newton, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Laurence W. C. Emig
7	George Francis Slavin Esther Margaret Coughlin	Newton, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Dennis H. Donovan
9	Norman MacKenzie Winch Ruth Elizabeth Smith	Needham, Mass. Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. H. Hamlin Hall
11	William Hinden, Jr. Edith Mary Ackroyd	Needham, Mass. Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. G. Vaughn Shedd
11	Albert Raymond Hammersley Dorothy Almira Williams	Needham, Mass. Ipswich, Mass.	Ipswich, Mass.	Rev. James G. Cairns
12	John Louis Swagher Gilanda Bennotti	Needham, Mass. Wellesley, Mass.	Wellesley, Mass.	Rev. John J. Flood
20	Frederick Emelius Anderson Laura Flahtum	Needham, Mass. Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. B. E. Carlsen
20	Alfred Weston Anderson Rosella Theresa Paltrineri	Needham, Mass. Wellesley, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Laurence W. C. Emig

27	Louis Tropeano	Lexington, Mass.	Lexington, Mass.	Rev. Ernest R. Macdonald
	Alba Tarabelli	Needham, Mass.		
27	Clyde Buster Adams	Yonkers, N. Y.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. C. H. Davis
	Evelyn Murray Queen	Needham, Mass.		
Nov.				
3	Robert Bradford Marshall	Needham, Mass.	Brookline, Mass.	Rev. N. McF. B. Ogilby
	Ruth Pauline Norcross	Wellesley, Mass.		
4	George Hughes Hudson	Watertown, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Rev. Daniel F. Dunn
	Genevieve Florence Daley	Needham, Mass.		
11	Carlo Albert Ferrara	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Julia Stefanelli	Needham, Mass.		
12	Elmer Campbell Fay	Hartford, Conn.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Edward A. Elliott
	Pauline Carmen Stanley	Needham, Mass.		
19	James Francis Callanan	Needham, Mass.	Waltham, Mass.	Rev. Francis X. Daniels
	Ethel Marie Daniels	Waltham, Mass.		
22	Hartley Ellsworth Mitchell	Boston, Mass.	Norwood, Mass.	Rev. Charles Hastings Brown
	Margaret Aileen Daniels	Needham, Mass.		
25	Thomas Henry Slaman	Wellesley, Mass.	Wellesley, Mass.	Rev. John J. Flood
	Winifred Martha Shore Whetton	Needham, Mass.		
25	Frank Marcoaldi	Needham, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Lewis Pennini
	Antoinetta Eosco	Boston, Mass.		Justice of the Peace
28	Albert Clarke West	Needham, Mass.	Cambridge, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
	Elsa Katherine Zirsch	Cambridge, Mass.		
28	Elmer DeFazio	Needham, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. Francis L. Shea
	Ann McGloin	Boston, Mass.		
29	Irvine Emerson Ross, Jr.	Dayton, Ohio	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Harry W. Kimball
	Elisabeth Leach Brown	Needham, Mass.		
29	Reginald Noel Smith	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Hugh M. Smith
	Mary Helen Zdankowski	Needham, Mass.		
29	John Smith Farlow, Jr.	Weston, Mass.	Needham, Mass.	Rev. Charles E. Park
	Catherine Hill Tappan	Needham, Mass.		
29	Sam Fiorentino	Needham, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Rev. Tarcisio Prevedello
	Carmela Tringali	Boston, Mass.		
Dec.				
20	William Mason Austin	Needham, Mass.	Cambridge, Mass.	Rev. Abbot Peterson
	Dorothy Richards	Blue Hill, Me.		

Number of marriages registered	106
Bride and groom both native born	80
Bride and groom both foreign born	6
Native groom, foreign bride	8
Foreign groom, native bride	12
Groom and bride residents	22
Groom resident	40
Bride resident	28
Bride and groom non-residents	16

NOTICE

Persons who intend to be joined in marriage in this Commonwealth shall, not less than five days before their marriage, cause notice of their intention to be entered in the office of the clerk of registrars of the city or town in which they respectively dwell, or if they do not dwell within the Commonwealth, in the office of the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which they propose to have the marriage solemnized.

Chapter 151, Section 29, Revised Laws

If a marriage is solemnized in another state between parties living in this Commonwealth, who return to dwell here, they shall within seven days after their return, file with the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which either of them lived at the time of their marriage, a certificate or declaration of their marriage, including the facts relative to marriage which are required by law, and for neglect thereof shall forfeit ten dollars.

DEATHS, 1934

Date		Name of Deceased	Age Y.	M.	D.	Place of Birth	Place of Burial
1934							
January	1	Mary Maria Crossman	75	2	11	England	Needham, Mass.
"	2	Annie Agnes Treadwell	70	8	15	St. Johns, Newfoundland	Needham, Mass.
"	2	Abbie Elma Chapman	81	4		Maine	Boston, Mass.
"	3	Gladys Burt	37	8	17	Waterbury, Conn.	Needham, Mass.
"	5	George Henry Baum	66	7	26	Winchester, N. H.	Needham, Mass.
"	8	Mary A. Fitzgerald	73	10	6	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	9	Henry Shipley Rodgers	51	3	6	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	10	Richard Vernon Leigh	73	8	22	England	Boston, Mass.
"	10	William G. Mitchell	9	10	5	Needham, Mass.	Dover, Mass.
"	14	Otis Henry Gilmore	76	5	4	Natick, Mass.	Everett, Mass.
"	16	Mary Jane Seigle	74	4	8	Dawson, Penn.	Brighton, Mass.
"	21	Peter Fusaiotti	49			Italy	Dedham, Mass.
"	22	Samuel Slack	88	6	13	Nottingham, England	Needham, Mass.
"	22	Sarah Olendorf Partridge	86	2	13	Albany, N. Y.	Boston, Mass.
February	2	Forbes Alexander McLeod	36	1	1	Quincy, Mass.	Waltham, Mass.
"	3	Francis Oliver Haddock	41	2	20	Newton, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	6	Nancy Blackman	85		25	Louden Centre, N. H.	Needham, Mass.
"	7	Julia Ann Jennison	81	2	16	Watertown, Mass.	Newton, Mass.
"	7	Martha Whetton	86	4	5	England	Needham, Mass.
"	9	John Joseph O'Neill	68	9	8	Boston, Mass.	Dedham, Mass.
"	13	Lawrence Doran	62			Ireland	Needham, Mass.
"	17	Charles Hazen Farnham	48	11	15	Chelsea, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	17	Mildred Cottle	69	7	2	Boston, Mass.	Watertown, Mass.
"	21	Marie Pebbles Compton	25		29	Cape Breton, N. S.	Needham, Mass.
"	21	George Albert French	70	2	27	Hollis, N. H.	Needham, Mass.
"	21	Wendell Freeman Mullen		1	14	Needham, Mass.	Dedham, Mass.
"	24	Carrie Edith Chaffin	69	10	2	Wolfboro, N. H.	Boston, Mass.
"	24	Rebecca Adelaide Veinot	61	8	23	Nova Scotia	Wellesley, Mass.
"	28	Edgar Lovett Raub	70	5	9	Cressona, Penn.	Needham, Mass.

DEATHS, 1934 — *Continued*

Date		Name of Deceased	Age Y.	M.	D.	Place of Birth	Place of Burial
March	2	Catherine Daly	65	9	6	Bradford, England	Needham, Mass.
"	12	Catherine Theresa Grimwood	70	1		Lewiston, Me.	Needham, Mass.
"	22	Robert Smith	65	4	14	Ayr, Scotland	Boston, Mass.
"	26	Jeremiah F. Buckley	77	2	20	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	26	Esther Lyon	39	9	11	Holyoke, Mass.	Holyoke, Mass.
"	27	Alfred Augustus Heinemann	68	1	2	London, England	Brighton, Mass.
"	31	Harriet Louise Allin	77	11	17	Northampton, England	Needham, Mass.
April	4	Mary Mann	75	6	26	St. Johns, Newfoundland	Watertown, Mass.
"	5	Jessie May Bailey	60	10	3	Nova Scotia	Needham, Mass.
"	7	Laura LaCroix Tucker	74	9	11	Selma, Ala.	Boston, Mass.
"	7	Johan Hamilton	73	6	21	Scotland	Needham, Mass.
"	13	Harriet Stanley	73	4	2	Calais, Me.	Beverly, Mass.
"	16	Rose Giuliano	39			Italy	Dover, Mass.
"	19	Charles Weber	60	2	7	Germany	Needham, Mass.
"	25	Agnes Titus	33	11	10	Chelsea, Vt.	Chelsea, Vt.
"	27	Major Nelson Eastman	73	4	6	Union City, Ind.	Concord, N. H.
"	30	John Adams Tilton	73	1	6	Deerfield, N. H.	Needham, Mass.
May	1	Charles Edward Hodges	75	11	12	Birmingham, England	Needham, Mass.
"	2	George A. Lyons	29	7	5	Newton, Mass.	Waltham, Mass.
"	3	Julia Maude Robinson	59	9	18	West Amesbury, Mass.	Merrimac, Mass.
"	4	William Grimwood	63			England	Hyde Park, Mass.
"	5	Lewis Philip Miele	15	3	21	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	5	Mary Elizabeth Blake	46	10	14	Prince Edward Island	Norfolk, Mass.
"	8	Fannie Clancy	42	9		Ireland	Dover, Mass.
"	10	Eugenie Hemtz	78	6	23	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	11	Rolland Craig Farnham	39	10	2	Kingston, N. Y.	Newton, Mass.
"	19	——— Sedergran			3 h.	Newton, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	20	——— Sedergran			20 h.	Newton, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	24	Bertha Weltman	21	11		Prince William, N. B.	Boston, Mass.
"	31	Angelo Izzillo	22			Italy	Boston, Mass.

June	4	Elizabeth Loomis	43	1	24	Utica, N. Y.	Bedford, Mass.
"	4	John William Coppinger	79	8	2	Waltham, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	6	Mario Noferi	48	11	15	Italy	Needham, Mass.
"	9	Angelo Vellali	24	6	20	Italy	Needham, Mass.
"	10	George H. Carey, Jr.	4	1	5	Boston, Mass.	Hyde Park, Mass.
"	14	Flora I. Pfannenstiehl	57			Barton, Vt.	Braintree, Mass.
"	14	Ethel W. Gillette	54		10	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	26	William Downes	74	2	26	England	Needham, Mass.
July	3	Charles Howard Farnham	75	5		Roscoe, Minn.	Malden, Mass.
"	5	John Francis Braceland	38	7	11	Newton, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	9	Francisco Primavara	52			Messina, Italy	Needham, Mass.
"	10	Alice Hammerton	66	3	8	England	Belmont, Mass.
"	10	Evelyn M. Hay	34	2	7	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	12	Edna Chilson	30	3	28	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	12	George Anderson Loring	77	1	5	Hingham, Mass.	Quincy, Mass.
"	16	John Martin Dennie	80	11	12	Concord, Mass.	Concord, Mass.
"	20	William Walker	59	1	24	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	24	William Wallace Slate	79	11	13	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Bellows Falls, Vt.
"	25	Stillborn					
August	3	William W. Redmond	50	2	16	Mount Vernon, N. Y.	Huntington, W. Va.
"	5	Elizabeth Agnes Ryan	70			Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	17	Eva Grace Patten	68	5	26	W. Nottingham, N. H.	Boston, Mass.
"	21	Rufus E. Lambert	61	7	20	Canada	Needham, Mass.
"	25	Charlotte Lorraine	69	1	1	England	Needham, Mass.
"	26	John M. Turnbull	71	7	28	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	30	Laura Anna Parsons	59	11	5	New Brunswick	Needham, Mass.
September	1	Lena Phyllis Vecchio			1	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	2	Stillborn					
"	6	Katherine Lockway	70			Galicia, Poland	Needham, Mass.
"	10	Harry Morton Lyman	59	5	12	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	16	Sarah Alice Whittier	70	7	1	Salem, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	28	Charles Edward Shirley, Jr.	52	9	19	Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.
"	30	Stillborn					

DEATHS, 1934 — *Continued*

Date		Name of Deceased	Age Y.	Age M.	Age D.	Place of Birth	Place of Burial
October	1	William James Day	53	11	19	Halifax, N. S.	Needham, Mass.
"	9	Sarah Adryana Webber	76	4	24	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	12	DeLacy Atkinson	80	11		Havelock, N. B.	Needham, Mass.
"	14	John Wright	88	5	13	England	Boston, Mass.
"	15	Margaret Ann Matheson	83	2		Cape Breton, N. S.	Provincetown, Mass.
"	18	Emma E. Walker	72	3	1	Portsmouth, N. H.	Needham, Mass.
"	19	Ernest Henry Canavan	54	1		Hillsvale, N. S.	Needham, Mass.
"	20	Andrew Boschen	60		10	Germany	Dedham, Mass.
"	21	George Dalrymple	54	6	3	Selma, N. S.	Needham, Mass.
"	23	Harry Leonard Wardle	73	1	21	Boston, Mass.	Dedham, Mass.
"	23	Alice Roraback	71		23	Newton, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	23	Doris Lansberg	12	11	8	Needham, Mass.	Wrentham, Mass.
November	1	Lillian Florence Ryder	67	1	16	Boston, Mass.	South Truro, Mass.
"	4	Emma Holmes	80	5	15	Nova Scotia	Boston, Mass.
"	8	Addie Serena Willgoose	82	2	29	Needham, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	9	John Benbow	78	6	8	England	Watertown, Mass.
"	20	Henry Derby Rodgers	81	2	22	Watertown, Mass.	Needham, Mass.
"	20	Franklin W. Hemenway	68	8	15	Mt. Holly, Vt.	Saxtons River, Vt.
"	23	Katherine E. Neary	46			Halifax, N. S.	Needham, Mass.
"	27	Elizabeth Kershaw	85	1	28	England	Boston, Mass.
December	12	Alfred Joseph Nickerson, Jr.	17		17	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
"	16	Jennie Cecelia Bowman	70	3	28	Newton, Mass.	Newton, Mass.
"	22	Mary Georgianna Bailey	81	2	26	Philadelphia, Pa.	Needham, Mass.
"	29	George Armstrong	86	9	1	Nottingham, England	Needham, Mass.

DEATHS

Number of deaths registered in 1934 (exclusive of still-borns)	113
Number of males	56
Number of females	57
Number of native born	68
Number of foreign born	45

Stillborn	3
Under one year	4
Between one and five years	1
Between five and ten years	1
Between ten and fifteen years	1
Between fifteen and twenty years	2
Between twenty and thirty years	5
Between thirty and forty years	9
Between forty and fifty years	8
Between fifty and sixty years	13
Between sixty and seventy years	20
Between seventy and eighty years	32
Between eighty and ninety years	17

CLARENCE E. FOSS,
Town Clerk.

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

FOR THE YEAR 1934

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REPORT OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Voters of the Town of Needham:

The following is submitted as the two hundred and twenty-third annual report of the Board of Selectmen:

Organization

PARKMAN D. HOWE, *Chairman*
WILLIAM P. McEVOY, *Vice-Chairman*
CARLETON G. McINTOSH, *Secretary*

DOROTHY B. ELDRIDGE, *Clerk to the Board*
FRANCIS J. STANWOOD, *Agent, Insurance, Distribution of State Aid, Military Aid and Soldiers' Relief*

FREDERICK S. KINGSBURY, *Agent*
Care of Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves

We have endeavored to make impartial decisions on all hearings and matters that have come before us for consideration.

During 1934, we have continued the practise of rigid economy in all departments under our direct control, and have succeeded in practically every instance in keeping within our original appropriations, without impairing service.

In spite of greatly reduced appropriations and the call for materials under ERA the following balances remained at the end of the fiscal year in departments coming under our jurisdiction:

Public Works Department:		
Sewer Department	$4,943 84	
Highway Department	982 51	
Engineering	4 53	
Forestry	1,495 09	
Water	11 42	
Selectmen	140 65	
Town Hall and grounds	263 85	
Police Department	332 67	
Fire Department	316 60	
Inspections Department	1 80	
Total		$8,492 96

It will be noted that this year's report book has been considerably reduced in size in comparison with previous years, the object being to eliminate repetition and to reduce the cost of printing the book to a minimum.

PARKMAN D. HOWE,
WILLIAM P. McEVOY,
CARLETON G. McINTOSH,
Selectmen of Needham.

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

January 15, 1935.

Board of Selectmen, Town Hall, Needham, Mass.:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my report as Town Counsel for the year 1934.

The following cases have been tried or disposed of:

1. Appeals to the Board of Tax Appeals by the Estate of John W. Elliott and by the Inman Trust Company were withdrawn.

2. An appeal to the Board of Tax Appeals by Elizabeth A. Purdy was heard and an abatement was refused.

3. A petition for the foreclosure of a tax lien on property of the Estate of Emory C. Hatfield at the intersection of Melrose Avenue, Powers and Ellicott Streets was filed and allowed.

4. A petition by Emma D. Chapman for the assessment of damages arising out of a taking of land on Charles River Street in 1928 by the County Commissioners was settled by an additional award.

5. There was pending against the Town a petition by Frederick S. DeLue and Francis L. Spalding for the assessment of damages for land taken in connection with the construction of Otis, Parkinson and Powers Streets in 1929. $2,867.63 had been awarded at the time of the taking. The Town was owed approximately $9,731.80 for taxes on said property. After conferences with Counsel and the Selectmen an adjustment was made whereby an award of $1,000 was made in addition to the $2,867.63 originally awarded when the land was taken and the overdue taxes were collected in connection with the settlement.

6. Actions by Gladys W. and Walter C. Huening against the Town and former Town Officers alleging damages caused by the cutting down of trees at the intersection of Webster Street and Great Plain Avenue were dismissed.

7. An action was brought against Thomas Kashalena in the Dedham District Court to recover for services rendered by the Glover Memorial Hospital. Judgment for $400.76 was recovered and payments are being made on account thereof.

8. An action was brought in the Lynn District Court against M. McDonough Co. to collect taxes on property on Cheney Place Plain, Needham. The taxes have since been paid.

9. An action was brought against Charles R. McGoldrick for damages to a traffic signal at the intersection of Great Plain and Highland Avenues as result of a motor vehicle accident. This action was settled for $250.00.

10. A claim by Stimpson Wyeth for injuries sustained as result of an alleged defect in South Street was settled.

I was called on to render services in connection with the bill in equity by Robert Burrage *et als vs.* Willet and Chadwick involving a permit issued by the Selectmen for the storage of fuel oil on the plant of the Willett & Chadwick Co. on Highland Avenue, including Court appearances and brief.

I also rendered services in connection with pensions made necessary on account of the murder of Forbes A. McLeod and Frank O. Haddock and an award to Timothy L. Coughlin on account of injuries inflicted by felons while in the performance of his duty.

I was called upon by the School Committee to devote a great deal of time and to render numerous legal opinions and advice in connection with work of that Committee.

*There is pending against the Commonwealth a petition in the Superior Court at Dedham, No. 26801, by Needham Sand & Gravel Co. for the assessment of damages arising out of the construction of Route 128 for land taken from the gravel pit operations of that Company and including an allegation of damage for the land taken and the land not taken. Said alleged claim approximates $135,000.00. Under the statute authorizing the construction of Route 128 (Acts of 1930, Chapter 420) the Town of Needham ultimately has to pay the land damages in connection with the construction. Accordingly the action was turned over by the Attorney-General's Office to the Town to defend. I have had to devote a great deal of time to the preparation of this case for trial.

The following cases are also pending against the Town:

1. An action brought in February, 1932, by Alton Adams against the Town for damages arising out of an alleged defect in Forest Street.

*At the time this report is being written the case has been tried to a jury and a verdict was returned for the petitioners for $11,723.50 which includes interest at four per cent per annum from January 15, 1932. Although the trial took place in 1935 it seems appropriate to note the verdict in this report.

2. An action by Margaret Dunn for damages arising out of a taking in 1929 of land on Great Plain Avenue, Greendale Avenue and Hamlin Lane by the County Commissioners, has been marked "Inactive" by the Court.

3. Three actions by Ellen Guion, Louise Bischoff and Harriette Briggs for damages arising out of an alleged defect in Webster Street, tried before an Auditor in 1933, are pending on the Jury trial list.

4. Two actions against the Towns of Dover and Belmont to recover money advanced for the relief of a soldier now residing in Needham but legally settled in either Dover or Belmont.

5. A tax appeal by H. Harris Eaton relative to property at Great Plain Avenue, Harris Avenue and Eaton Road.

6. A petition by Bennett S. Ferguson for damages alleged to have been caused by the construction of a drain on Webster Street.

7. A foreclosure of a tax lien on property on Hunnewell Street belonging to Arthur E. Turner is pending in the Land Court.

8. An appeal to the Board of Tax Appeals by Stillman F. Kelly.

9. An action for the Water Department against Joseph White.

Claims have been made by the following persons for injuries and damages received in Town ways claimed to be defective but no actions have been brought.

1. Grace Altier.
2. Florence E. McAleney.
3. Eileen Smith.
4. Estate of Bertha Weltman.

I have also furnished numerous legal opinions to the various Departments, drafted miscellaneous deeds, articles and forms, and attended nearly all the Selectmen's meetings.

Respectfully submitted,

GILBERT W. COX,

Town Counsel.

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

December 31, 1934.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit the annual report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1934.

About 9.30 Friday morning, February 2, 1934, the Needham Trust Co., was held up, and robbed by heavily armed men who fatally shot Officer Forbes A. McLeod, and Officer Francis O. Haddock. Fireman Timothy Coughlin was critically wounded, and Mr. Bartholomew of the Bank was also wounded.

About $14,000.00 was taken by the gunmen. The robbery was the first Bank hold-up in the history of Needham, and the first machine gun killing in Massachusetts.

The gunmen's escape, and the subsequent police work which resulted in the arrest of Murton Millen, Irving Millen, and Abraham Faber is now a matter of public record.

It is gratifying to note that a local civilian, Walter Mills, is credited with an important part in securing of the car battery clue, that was a very important part in this casé.

With District Attorney Edmund Dewing prosecuting, the case opened before Justice Nelson Brown, in the Superior Court held in Dedham, on April 16, 1934. On June 8, 1934, the Jury brought in a verdict of Guilty of Murder in the first degree against the above named defendants.

The Bank hold-up instantly brought forth the finest, and most thorough police co-operation by the State, City, and Town departments, which it has been my privilege to see. It is a pleasure for me to express appreciation for the assistance given by Eugene F. Hultman, the Police Commissioner of Boston, who made instantly available the personnel and resources of his department. So quickly was this extended that the Boston Homicide Experts were on the scene ready to co-operate upon the arrival of State Detectives.

The spirit shown by the Boston Department was the same which was shown by all Police Departments of the State, from State Detectives under General Daniel Needham, to the smallest local departments.

With the assistance of the Tele-type, and Radio in two cars, and the increased equipment afforded, this department is better equipped than ever before to protect the Town.

The Radio has proved invaluable, and the Town is indebted to the City of Newton for the fine broadcasting of messages which has been speedy and accurate.

Revolver practice has maintained the marksmanship of the force at a high standard. All men in the department are required to qualify under the rules of the New England Police Revolver League. Mr. H. J. Robinson, Vice-President of the Revolver League, and active resident of the Town, has continued to give expert instruction, and advice at all times in the use of the several types of fire arms which the department is equipped.

Officer Charles G. Robinson, of this department, has been approved as an instructor by the New England Police Revolver League, and assists Mr. H. J. Robinson.

Early this past year Matthew Tocci, Thomas Rooney, and Frank E. Taylor were appointed to the force to fill vacancies. Following the Civil Service Examination Bernhardt Richwagen and Clarence Garland were appointed to the regular department.

I strongly recommend that at least one additional man be appointed to the department. This additional man is a necessity to bring the night force to proper strength, and to make possible quick response to emergency calls.

In the very near future the two way radio should be adopted.

All banks should be directly connected with Police Headquarters.

Records of court cases handled during the year may be found on file at this office.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation of loyal work of the officers during the past year, and to thank the Board of Selectmen and residents of the Town for their continued co-operation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR P. BLISS,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1934.

To the Honoarable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my Annual Report as Superintendent of Fire Alarm for the year 1934.

New aerial wire and cross-arms have been replaced at the following locations: School Street between Chestnut Street and Dedham Avenue, Grant Street between School Street and Kimball Street, Marked Tree Road between Great Plain Ave. and High Rock Street, Central Ave. between Charles River Street and Fisher Street, Central Ave. between Nehoiden Street and Great Plain Ave., Central Ave. between Hunnewell Street and Booth Street, Central Ave., between Webster Street and Cedar Street.

No new fire alarm boxes have been added to the fire alarm system this year.

Tree trimming has been done to keep away grounds on circuits, and all pole bands and boxes have been painted.

There are a number of locations where there is valuable property, and which are a long distance from a fire alarm box. Boxes should be provided in order to safeguard these taxable properties, also several old boxes should be replaced.

I desire again to call your attention to the equipment now used for fire alarm signaling, which is housed in the Town Hall, I believe that some steps should be taken this year to carry out a definite plan for the permanent housing of the signaling apparatus in the rooms which have been designed for that purpose in the new Fire Department Headquarters.

This would put into service the rooms which are properly designed to safeguard the signaling apparatus, and at the same time it would put into service additional cables, giving a better distribution of the circuits, and utilizing an investment which the Town has already made.

This change would also give added space at the Town Hall for the growing needs in the several Departments.

All work on the lines and care of batteries has been done during the year by the members of the Fire Department under the supervision of the Chief and Assistant Superintendent of Fire Alarm, Leo C. Brady. Nine hundred and twenty hours time has been spent in the up-keep of this Department.

To all Town Officers and others who have assisted, I extend my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

T. ROBERT QUINLAN,

Superintendent of Fire Alarm.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1934.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I respectfully present the report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1934, the forty-ninth of the Department.

The Manual Force

The manual force of the Fire Department consists of forty-one men and three substitutes, as follows: the permanent force, chief, three lieutenants and twelve men; the call force, one deputy chief, one captain and twenty-one men, and three substitutes.

On February 2nd Engineman Timothy L. Coughlin suffered severe injury from gunmen's bullets and was disabled until June 16th.

On February 5th Harold T. Vincent was appointed a substitute fireman, and received a permanent appointment on April 1st.

We pause here to pay tribute to the memory of

JOHN F. BRACELAND

a member of our permanent force for fifteen years, who answered the call of the Great Chief, July 5th, after a lingering illness. He was a fine chap, and a fearless fireman, beloved by all his fellows. The influence of his personality will linger long with them.

Apparatus

The Department is equipped with six pieces of motor apparatus, and one horse-drawn piece as follows: one Chief's car, a Buick coupe, one Maxim 1,000 gallon pumping engine, one American LaFrance ladder truck, one White Combination hose and chemical, and one Buick forest truck at Station 1; one White 600 gallon pumping engine, hose and chemical at Station 2; and one horse-drawn combination hose and chemical wagon stationed at Charles River. The apparatus is all in good mechanical condition.

Hose

An inventory of hose at the present time shows the following: 1,500 feet of $1\frac{1}{2}$-inch hose, 7,050 feet $2\frac{1}{2}$-inch hose, 200 feet 3-inch hose, and 650 feet of chemical hose.

During the month of October all hose was tested at a 200-pound pressure.

Fire Apparatus

Station 1 received an exterior coat of paint during the year, the work of applying same being done by the members of the department. Station 2 was brightened up on the interior with a new paint job, accomplished by the men of that station. A sliding pole installed, materially adding to the efficiency of the men in answering an alarm.

Fire Prevention

During Fire Prevention Week, all places of business were thoroughly inspected, this in addition to the usual regular monthly inspections.

The schools were visited, and test fire drills given, records being made of the time consumed in vacating each building. The pupils were then assembled, and talks were then given on the importance of conducting drills efficiently, that the possibility of panic might be eliminated.

Broadcasts were given from Station WBSO of talks with Boy Scouts on the subjects of Firemanship and Fire Prevention. It is hoped that the influence of past efforts to educate the citizens of Needham to be "Fire Prevention Conscious" may continue to be an impelling factor in their mode of living, and help to make for greater happiness and economy.

Training and Drills

Drills for the permanent men of the Department were held twice weekly at Headquarters, during the months of June, July, August and September, in operating pumping engines, ladder work, use of gas mask in smoke house, and the use of the Inhalator. The same drills were given the call members twice monthly during those same months. The instructors for the permanent men were, Lieut. Walter W. Mullen and Lieut. Richard Salamone, and for the call members, Capt. A. Sterling Holt. The instructors were graduated from the State Vocational course in Firemanship for fireman of Norfolk County.

It seems timely to mention here, again, the smoke house, described in the report of 1933, which has proved to be invaluable in the drill work. A demonstration of the effectiveness of these drills was seen at the recent Crossman fire, when it was necessary to send several men into a smoked filled, windowless basement, entrance to which could not possibly have been made without a gas mask.

Members of the Department are attending the ERA course of the American Red Cross in First Aid, conducted at Fire Department Headquarters.

Recommendations

Last year I recommended the purchase of a foam generator, for the combating of oil burner fires, stating that with the increase in the number of oil burner installations, it would be an absolute necessity in the near future. To my mind the Crossman fire above mentioned proves that the time has arrived. The Department should be equipped with one.

Many times the Department is handicapped in doing the best possible job by inadequate light. The portable flood light equipment, used to light up the fire ground, is one of the major improvements that has been evolved since the introduction of motor apparatus.

I therefore recommend the purchase of a foam generator and a portable flood light.

Mutual Aid

The mutual aid service with the Town of Wellesley and the City of Newton has been carried on successfully and beneficially again this past year.

The following is a report of the mutual aid responses for the year 1934:

Wellesley to Needham	3 calls
Newton to Needham	8 calls
Needham to Wellesley	3 calls
Needham to Newton	5 calls

With the neighboring towns of Dedham and Dover, not in the mutual aid agreement, we were glad to co-operate as follows:

Needham to Dedham	1 call
Dedham to Needham	1 call
Dover to Needham	1 call

Summary for the Year 1934

The total number of alarms for the year was 208, of which 155 were bell alarms; 53 were still alarms. There were 9 out-of-town calls as follows: Newton, 5; Wellesley, 3; and Dedham, 1. One of the bell alarms was false, 5 were needless and 5 were No School Signals.

The amount of hose used during the year was 12,700 feet, the number of gallons of chemical used was 36, and there were 493 feet of ladders raised in the extinguishing of fires.

The following is a brief summary and classified as follows:

Automobiles	14
Awning	1
Brush	55
Chimneys	17
Frame buildings	43
False alarm	1
Grass	36
Needless	5
No School Signals	5
Out-of-Town	9
Special calls	16
Rubbish	4
Water tower	1
Woods	1

Valuation, Insurance and Loss to Property, from January 1, 1934, to December 31, 1934:

Value of buildings	$142,650 00
Insurance on buildings	111,975 00
Loss on buildings	7,908 32
Value of contents	42,150 00
Insurance on contents	35,650 00
Loss on contents	6,903 75
Total value of buildings and contents	184,800 00
Total insurance on buildings and contents	147,625 00
Total insurance loss on buildings and contents	$14,812 07

I wish here to make acknowledgment of my grateful appreciation of the co-operation received from the Selectmen, and the various Town Departments during the past year, and to thank the men of the Fire Department for their continued loyalty to duty.

Respectfully submitted,
T. ROBERT QUINLAN,
Chief of Fire Department.

REPORT OF PETROLEUM INSPECTOR

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1934.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith respectfully submit the report of Petroleum Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1934.

Permits issued for storage of fuel oil in connection with Domestic oil burners	115
Permits issued for storage of range oil in connection with Range burners	226
Total	341
Gallons of fuel oil stored in connection with the above oil burners	82,620
Permit issued for bulk storage	80,000
Total	162,620

Respectfully submitted,
T. ROBERT QUINLAN,
Petroleum Inspector.

REPORT OF FOREST WARDEN

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1934.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my annual report as Forest Warden.

During the year there were 681 permits issued for the burning of grass, brush, and rubbish. There are still some cases, where people neglect to get permits and in which case, when the Fire Department is called are requested to reimburse the Town for the expense of extinguishing the fire.

Residents requiring to build fire in the open must obtain permits at all times during the year except at such times when snow covers the ground. These permits may be obtained at Fire Department Headquarters, Needham, or at Station No. 2, Needham Heights.

The notices relative to securing a permit from the Forest Warden before setting a fire in the open were posted in numerous conspicuous places throughout the Town, and particularly in the outlying sections.

The following are the extracts from the Massachusetts Forestry Fire Laws:

Setting Fires in the Open Air

Chapter 401, Acts of 1930. No person shall set, maintain or increase a fire in the open air at any time unless the ground is substantially covered with snow, except by written permission, covering a period not exceeding ten days from the date thereof, granted by the forest warden or chief of the fire department in cities and towns, or, in cities having such an official, the fire commissioner; provided, that debris from fields, gardens and orchards, and leaves and rubbish from yards, may be burned on ploughed fields by the owners thereof, their agents or lessees, if such fire is at least two hundred feet distant from any sprout or forest land and at least fifty feet distant from any building and is properly attended until extinguished; and provided, further, that persons above the age of eighteen may set or maintain a fire for a reasonable purpose upon sandy land, or upon salt marshes or sandy or rocky beaches bordering on tide water, if the fire is enclosed within rocks, metal or other non-inflammable material. The forester may make rules and regulations relating to the granting and revocation of such permits binding throughout the Commonwealth. Such rules and regulations shall take effect subject to Section thirty-seven of Chapter 30, when approved by the Governor and Council. The forest wardens in towns and officials performing the duties of forest wardens in cites shall cause public notice to be given of the provisions of this Section and shall enforce the same. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than one month, or both.

Respectfully submitted,
T. ROBERT QUINLAN,
Forest Warden.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1934.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The annual report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures is herewith submitted.

One hundred and seventeen annual inspections were made.
No complaint or irregularity of any moment noted.
Fees received and turned over to Town Treasurer, $94.64.

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. STANTON,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

Needham, January 7, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1934. One thousand dog licenses and one Breeder license were issued showing an increase of forty-eight over the preceding year.

All complaints of unlicensed dogs have been attended.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM W. HEWITT,
Dog Officer.

REPORT OF FISH AND GAME WARDEN

January 15, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit a report as Fish and Game Warden.

The licenses of hunters and fishermen numbering one hundred and eighty-six (186) were inspected.

There was one arrest and conviction for violation of the Fish and Game laws.

Game was less plentiful in Needham covers due largely to the severe winter, and because of the Anti-Steel Trap law there was a decided increase of skunks, mink and other vermin.

Feeding stations were placed in all good covers for the birds, grain supplied by the Needham Sportsmen Club.

Liberations of fish and game in Needham covers and waters were as follows:

One hundred and fifteen (115) quail, eighty-six (86) pheasants, two thousand (2,000) brown and one thousand (1,000) rainbow trout in the Charles River.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN D. McINTOSH,
Fish and Game Warden.

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

Needham, Mass., December 31, 1934.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I herewith submit my eighteenth annual report as Building Inspector, and the twenty-second of this department.

The estimated cost of construction, a total for the year of $304,575, is shown by the monthly issue of permits as follows:

	No. of Permits	Estimated Value
January	4	$11,450 00
February	3	9,150 00
March	4	4,100 00
April	11	25,050 00
May	19	57,500 00
June	5	7,750 00
July	12	15,400 00
August	20	58,875 00
September	12	17,650 00
October	17	40,275 00
November	11	14,100 00
December	10	43,275 00
	128	$304,575 00

The number of building permits issued from this office during the past year is 128; classified as follows:

	No. of Permits	Estimated Value
Dwellings	33	$211,500 00
Garages	40	19,175 00
Additions and Alter.	37	54,100 00
Stores	1	10,000 00
Miscellaneous	17	9,800 00
	128	$304,575 00

The plumbing inspector appointed this year by the building inspector was Harold D. Toone — appointment expires May 5, 1936.

Jeremiah F. Buckley, who for forty-one years was plumbing inspector for the town passed away March 26, 1934. Mr. Buckley brought to this position a characteristic high regard for duty, and served as inspector faithfully and with strict impartiality. In his death the department suffered the loss of

an able and conscientious official and a loyal friend — a man whose counsel was sought and valued in both public and private life.

The amount collected for permits and turned over to the Town Treasurer for the use of the Town is as follows:

Building	$441 00
Cesspools	74 00
Plumbing	720 00
Gas	108 00
Wire	842 40
Total	$2,195 40

This is an increase in receipts over last year of $111.80.

A certificate for occupancy is issued for all buildings after a final inspection is made by the building inspector and the plumbing and wiring inspections are completed.

All permits issued under the authorities of the Building Code must be taken out before work is started.

Office hours of the Inspection Department are from 9 to 12 A.M. each week day excepting Saturday, at the Town Hall, Telephone 0128-J.

Penalties

Who ever violates any provision of these By-Laws shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation of the co-operation and support given this department by the Board of Selectmen and other departments of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

H. HOWARD UPHAM,

Building Inspector.

REPORT OF WIRE INSPECTOR

December 31, 1934.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — Herewith is submitted the report of the Inspector of Wires for the year ended December 31, 1934, giving a record of permits issued and the amount of money paid over to the Town Treasurer.

Permits issued during the calendar year numbered 433, and the revenue, $842.15. In the immediate preceding year, 1933, 398 permits were issued, which brought an income of $880.60. There was therefore an increase of 35 permits in 1934 over the corresponding period of 1933, but a decrease of $38.45 in revenue, due to the character of installation.

The permits issued were nearly all for electrical appliances.

Copies of the Rules and Regulations governing the installation of wiring and appliances may be had at the office of the Inspector of Wires in the basement of the Town Hall between the hours of 9 A.M. to 12.00 noon daily, except Saturday.

A permit must be obtained before any wiring or electrical work is started.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH ALEXANDER,
Inspector of Wires.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE GLOVER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Needham, Mass., January 14, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Trustees of the Glover Hospital respectfully submit their report for 1934.

The Hospital continued to bear an important part in our community life by faithfully serving those who avail themselves of its privileges.

Since our last report the terrible tragedy which the Town suffered, again proved the value of this Institution to meet the needs of such emergencies.

Deep solicitude is exercised by our staff and personnel at all times in ministering to every one who comes under our care, and our highest endeavor is to restore them to health and usefulness.

We again wish to emphasize how much we need more room and it is to be hoped that economic conditions may soon be such that we can have a Hospital building of perhaps

thirty-five rooms, built if it seems advisable on our present site and which might well provide suitable hospital facilities for our Town for some years to come. Handicapped though we are, we will continue to cheerfully render good service as economically as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. McCRACKEN,
MARGARET O. CHASE,
DAVID E. MANN, M.D.,
FRANCES E. ROWLANDS,
WILLIAM MITCHELL, M.D.,
Glover Memorial Hospital Trustees.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of the Glover Memorial Hospital and to the Citizens of the Town of Needham:

The following is a brief report of the work carried on at the Glover Memorial Hospital for the year ending December 31, 1934:

Number of patients admitted	439
Average stay at hospital	7 days
Number of male patients	201
Number of female patients	238
Number of medical cases	41
Number of surgical cases	353
Number of maternity cases	50
Number of births	51
Number of outpatients	168
Number hospitalized	271
Surgical operations, major	55
Surgical operations, minor	254
Deaths:	
Adults (2 dead on arrival)	11
Babies, stillborn	2
Children	2

Donation Day, which was observed on October 18, 1934, was not as generously contributed to, as of previous years. This is readily understood, owing to the continued depression of the times and we are very grateful for the supply of jellies, jams, etc., which were received.

Continuing our agreement with the Welfare Department, to allow a fifty percent discount on all their patients, we have treated cases in the amount (approximately) of $2,000, for

which we received one-half that amount. Under the same arrangement, the Soldiers' Relief Department have benefited in the amount of $275.

The terrific handicaps under which the Hospital staff and the doctors struggled last year, when our terrible tragedy occurred, emphasizes very strongly our great need for a larger and better equipped hospital, so as to be able to meet any emergency that may arise.

Respectfully submitted,

B. JEAN YOUNG, R.N.,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF STATE AND MILITARY AID AND SOLDIERS' RELIEF

January 14, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — The report of activities in State Aid, Military Aid and Soldiers' Relief for the year 1934, is herewith submitted:

COMPARATIVE EXPENDITURES

	State Aid	Military Aid	Soldiers' Relief
1928	$168 00	$120 00	$1,253 00
1929	18 00	240 00	1,570 56
1930	None	30 00	5,146 90
1931	24 00	None	8,018 23
1932	72 00	90 00	14,783 01
1933	30 00	235 00	17,157 03
1934	320 00	270 00	14,900 66

NOTE: Federal Emergency Relief Administration activities effective April 5, 1934.

FERA activities have had a substantial effect upon the "out-of-pocket" cost of Soldiers' Relief — estimated value $8,000.

During the year 47 cases, representing 208 persons have been recipients of assistance.

In addition to FERA benefits, through work projects providing labor directly and through the distribution of food stuffs and certain items of clothing, other agencies are to be thanked for their kindly co-operation and assistance, as follows: the Visiting Nurse Association, Red Cross, Doctors, Dentists, Community Council and the many citizens and business concerns who have granted favors and donated equipment and (or) clothing.

Forecast: Without continued FERA subsidy — $25,000 would be needed to carry the Department for 1935.

A Dental Clinic is urgently recommended.

Separate quarters for consultation are now an imperative need and our present storage room is far too small.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS J. STANWOOD.

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF MEMORIAL PARK TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR 1934

The Trustees of Memorial Park followed the program of 1933, and no new construction work was undertaken on the Park during the past year. A modern new heating plant was installed in the "Legion Home" to replace the old plant which was completely worn out.

Mr. Patrick Hughes was again secured as caretaker and supervisor of the park and the finished parts of the grounds were maintained in excellent condition.

The athletic fields were again used by the High School, the Junior High School and other organized organizations for baseball, football and track events.

The installation of the drainage system of the Town through the Richwagen property to Rosemary Lake has completely solved the drainage problem on the Park and the Park drains will be connected to this system during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. CROSSMAN,

Chairman of Memorial Park Trustees.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE On Salaries and Wages Presented to the Annual Town Meeting March 19, 1934

At the Annual Town Meeting of March 20, 1933, under Article 19, it was voted: "That a Committee, to consist of two members of the Finance Committee, the Board of Selectmen, and two members of the Taxpayers Association, be authorized and directed to make a study of the salaries paid to town officers and employees, with the power to make recommendations to the various departments, as to the adjustment of such salaries, and to report the result of such study and such recommendations at the next Annual Town Meeting."

As members of this Committee the Moderator appointed the following persons: representing the Board of Selectmen, Parkman D. Howe, William P. McEvoy, Carleton G. McIntosh; as representing the Finance Committee, George A. Lord, Julius F. Haller; as representing Taxpayers Association, William P. Bailey and Laurence S. Caldwell.

The Committee was organized by the election of Parkman D. Howe, chairman, William P. McEvoy, vice-chairman, Laurence S. Caldwell, secretary, and Carleton G. McIntosh, assistant secretary. It has held frequent conferences for almost a year, and between sessions studies have been made by Sub-committees. As a basis for its study the record of employment, salaries, and wages of all Town officials and employees was compiled.

Proposals that wage schedules of other communities should serve as a gauge for similar wages here were rejected, and the Committee determined that the only proper basis for fixing salaries and wages here was that of the ability of the Town to pay.

Throughout the year the Committee has studied the performance of work in various departments for the purpose of noting whether or not service was impaired because of reduced salary or wage levels, and the Committee has found no indication of any such impairment of service.

Salaries of heads of departments and of clerks have been compared one with another, and such comparison has revealed several material inequalities, which, in the opinion of the Committee, call for readjustments for the good of the service.

Conclusions and recommendations are as follows:

1. We find no reason justifying any general increase in salaries or wages above the levels of April-December, 1933.

2. We recommend for manual labor a uniform working week of five days of eight hours each, this to apply to all Town Departments.
3. Uniform office and working hours in all departments at Town Hall, on the basis of five days at eight hours each and four hours on Saturday, total forty-four hours, should be established.
4. Hourly rate of wages for common labor, all departments to be 45 cents per hour, and for semi-skilled labor, 53 cents per hour.
5. In the filling of vacancies, in all departments, preference should be shown to residents of Needham.
6. Whenever women are to be employed we recommend that preference be given to those who are not married, certainly not to women whose husbands are in a position to support them.
7. The customary two weeks' vacation, with pay, should be extended only to those who have served one year or more in the Town's employ.
8. It is recommended that in the process of adjusting departments, under the Board of Public Works, the officials concerned should strive to eliminate duplication of work, and to reduce clerk hire.
9. The Committee is strongly of the opinion that fees of every nature, collected by Town employees, should be turned back to the Town Treasurer, and should not constitute any portion of the recompense of the official or employee making such collection. It believes that it is for the best interests, both of the Town and of the employee concerned, that renumeration for services should be definitely defined, by a fixed salary or wage, and should not in any way be dependent upon the collection of fees.
10. With respect to such fees as are charged by various Inspection Departments of the Town, the Committee recommends that wherever possible fees be established on a basis which will tend to make the department self-supporting. This cannot be done in all departments, since certain fees are established by State law; but in other departments it can and should be done.
11. It is the opinion of the Committee, and it so recommends, that the Town, by direct vote, should authorize and direct the Chief of the Fire Department, under the direction of the Selectmen, to annually provide physical examinations for all members of the Fire Department, call members as well as permanent members, and to file reports of the physicians making such examinations

with the Selectmen before they pass annually on salary ratings of such members.

12. The Committee also is of the opinion, and so recommends, that the Town should vote to authorize and direct the Selectmen to provide annually physical examinations for all members of the Police Department, including special officers, before they pass annually on the salary ratings of such officers.

In complying with its instructions, the committee, throughout the year, duly notified officials, committees, and boards of such of its recommendations as concerned them, and especially has given pertinent information to the Finance Committee. The Committee has been able to reach a common ground of understanding, through discussion, and agreements, with all departments, with a single exception. In the case of the Water Department, much to its regret, the Committee has to report that its representations, requests, and advice, have not been followed. Early in its deliberations, after ascertaining that wages in the Water Department had not been reduced by the Water Commissioners by the equivalent of 10 per cent of the wages for the first three months of 1933, it called the matter to the attention of the Commissioners with a recommendation for such a readjustment. In reply the Committee received the following letter:

"TOWN OF NEEDHAM
WATER DEPARTMENT

Needham, Mass.
August 7, 1933.

Mr. Parkman D. Howe, Chairman
Committee on Salaries and Wages
Needham, Mass.

Dear Mr. Howe:

The action taken at the 1933 annual town meeting in regard to salaries and wages was admittedly somewhat confusing. The Water Commissioners in endeavoring to interpret the meaning of this action do not feel that they can make further salary or wage reductions at this time.

Very truly yours,

Signed: BENJAMIN MILLS, Jr.,
PHILIP A. RAND,
WILLIAM W. GALLAGHER,
Water Commissioners."

Thereafter this Committee under date of August 23, 1933, and again on October 6, 1933, urged reconsideration of their

decision, but on October 19, 1933, the Committee received a second communication signed by the Chairman of the Board of Water Commissioners, which concluded with the following statement:

"We had believed the subject matter of our correspondence had been settled some months ago after our position was clearly stated to your Committee but since it persists we have endeavored to review the whole issue in order that you may understand our position and the fact that, insofar as salary and wage reductions are concerned, we have no other alternative under the law than to maintain the position we originally established."

This concluded the correspondence, in a manner most unsatisfactory to this Committee. As a result of the attitude of the Water Commissioners employees of that department never had their salaries or wages readjusted, and thus received favored treatment compared with other Town employees.

In order that in the future there may be no uncertainty as to salaries and wages this Committee recommends that they be established in accordance with the following schedule. In the schedule, columns for 1932 and 1933 are provided for easy comparison with amounts for 1934. It shows not only the salaries and wages, which the Committee recommends, but also, in parallel columns the rates of pay for 1932 and 1933, for convenient comparison.

SCHEDULE OF SALARIES AND WAGES

For The Year 1934 and Thereafter Until Voted Otherwise As Recommended By Special Committee on Salaries and Wages

(Wages are per year, and without further compensation unless otherwise specified)

Departments	Executives and Clerks 1934	Salaries or Wages 1933	Salaries or Wages 1932
SELECTMEN 3 @	$150 00	$50 00	$150 00
1 Clerk, per week	22 50	21 56	25 48
1 Agent (Insurance, State, and Military Aid)	510 00	482 50	275 01
TOWN CLERK	466 52	473 37	550 00
1 Clerk, per week*	22 50	23 28	27 50
		(plus fees)	(plus fees)
TOWN ACCOUNTANT	1,445 00	1,466 25	1,700 00
1 Clerk, per week	17 00	17 25	20 00
TREASURER	2,242 50	2,242 50	2,600 00
2 Clerks, per week	19 25	19 25	20 38
ASSESSORS			
Full time 1 @	2,000 00	1,811 25	2,100 00
Part time 2 @	600 00	603 72	700 00
1 Clerk, per week	25 00	25 00	29 00
TAX COLLECTOR	2,000 00	2,242 50	½ of 1% of collections
1 Clerk, per week	17 00	21 56	?
REGISTRARS OF VOTERS			
4 @	75 00	75 00	75 00
SUPERINTENDENT OF TOWN HALL AND GROUNDS	1,700 00	1,794 13	2,080 00
TOWN COUNSEL	1,275 00	Misc. 147 46	1,500 00
(Without additional fees)*		Salary 1,293 75	
INSPECTION DEPARTMENT			
Buildings and Cesspools	1,200 00*	1,400 00	1,900 00
Wiring	1,200 00*	1,200 00	1,700 00

Plumbing and Gas. Total of their fees*	.....		662 50	740 00
Animal	200 00		300 00	300 00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	200 00		400 00	400 00
Dog Officer	210 00		210 00	210 00
Fish and Game Warden	85 00		86 28	100 00
BOARD OF HEALTH				
1 Agent (provided no clerk)*	2,000 00		1,725 00	2,000 00
WELFARE DEPARTMENT				
1 Agent	1,200 00		1,700 00	None
1 Visitor	1,020 00		1,068 50	1,200 00
1 Clerk	17 00		17 00	?
GLOVER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL				
1 Matron, per month, plus board and room	115 00		119 81	135 00
2 Registered Nurses per month, plus board and room	68 00		.....	80 00
4 Attendant Nurses per month, plus board and room	49 50		.....	55 00
1 General Man per month, plus board and room	50 00		.....	?
1 Cook per month, plus board and room	73 66		78 03	86 67
1 Laundress per month, plus board and room	43 33		.....	43 33
LIBRARY				
1 Librarian	1,530 00		1,552 50	1,800 00
1 First Assistant	1,105 00		.....	1,300 00
1 Second Assistant	816 00		.....	960 00
1 Janitor	510 00		517 50	600 00
Page workers, not to exceed 34c per hour				
TREE WARDEN AND MOTH DEPARTMENT — January 1 to March 31				
1 Superintendent (per year)	1,500 00		1,569 62	1,820 00
1 Assistant Superintendent (per week)	20 42		.....	?
Common Labor @ 45c per hour				
FIRE DEPARTMENT AND FIRE ALARM*				
1 Chief (all services as Chief, Forest Warden and Petroleum Inspector)	2,295 00	Fire Chief	2,155 79	2,700 00
		Forest Warden	86 28	
		Petroleum Insp.	86 25	
			$2,328 32	

*See explanations following.

SCHEDULE OF SALARIES AND WAGES — *Continued*

Departments	Executives and Clerks 1934	Salaries and Wages 1933	Salaries and Wages 1932
3 Lieutenants	$1,997 50	$2,026 95	$2,350 00
11 Permanent Men (maximum)*	1,785 00	.....	2,100 00
Call Men			
1 Deputy Chief	340 00	345 00	400 00
1 Captain	191 40	.....	None
9 Engine Men	170 00	.....	200 00
6 Laddermen	110 00	.....	125 00
1 Steward	25 00	.....	.....
POLICE DEPARTMENT			
1 Chief	2,295 00	2,328 04	2,700 00
2 Sergeants	1,997 50	2,026 96	2,350 00
10 Patrolmen (maximum)*	1,785 00	.....	2,100 00
1 Matron	1,200 00	1,200 16	750 00
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT — January 1 to March 31			
1 Superintendent	2,700 00	2,700 00	3,500 00
1 Foreman (per week)	33 00	.....	.....
Semi-skilled labor per hour 53c			
Common labor per hour 45c			
SEWER DEPARTMENT AND ENGINEERING — January 1 to March 31			
Superintendent (all work either Department)	3,060 00	Eng. 948 75; Sewer 1,184 04	3,600 00
2 Assistant Superintendents @	1,725 00	1,653 08	2,028 00
1 Clerk	22 50	22 47	25 00
Semi-skilled labor, per hour 53c			
Common labor per hour 45c			
WATER DEPARTMENT — January 1 to March 31			
1 Superintendent	3,000 00	2,682 12	2,860 00
2 Engineers, per week	31 79	29 76	37 40

1 Pipe Fitter per week	28 05	.....	33 00
Meter Reader per week	26 35	.....	31 00
1 Clerk per week	21 25	"2,044 39 clerks"	25 00
Miscellaneous Workmen			
4 @ 53c per hour			
Common labor at 45c per hour			
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT			
(See Special Recommendations)			
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT — April 1 to December 31			
Superintendent of Public Works	3,400 00	.....	.....
Superintendent of Highways	2,500 00	.....	.....
Superintendent of Water	2,500 00	.....	.....
Superintendent of Sewers	2,000 00	.....	.....
Town Engineer	2,000 00	.....	.....
Superintendent of Trees and Moth, etc.	1,500 00	.....	.....

* See explanations following.

Explanations

Town Clerk

Salary for the clerk in this department is to be $22.50, and she is to receive no fees in addition. The Committee is informed that the woman clerk in this department has been making out certain permits, which it seems should better be issued by the Board of Health, and has received certain fees therefor.

Town Counsel

The salary of $1,275.00 is to be the total compensation.

Inspection Department

We recommend that the salaries of both the Building and the Wiring Inspector be established on a sliding scale, $1,200 to be the minimum salary, and $1,800 the maximum salary; the salaries shall exceed $1,200 to the extent the fees collected by the respective departments the preceding year have exceeded $1,200. This plan is devised to give Inspectors the benefit of increased activity in their departments. No further allowances for transportation, etc., shall be made.

Plumbing and Gas Inspectors; we recommend their salaries annually be limited to the amount of fees collected by them that year with no further allowances.

Board of Health

The salary of $2,000 is recommended for the Agent, only with the understanding that he shall be given no clerical assistance.

Fire Department

The Committee recommends that Fire Alarm Department be treated as merged with the Fire Department. Salaries of permanent men shall start at $1,600, and be $1,700 for second year, and reach the maximum of $1,785 the third year. Provided that men of the permanent force are to receive extra pay for doing Fire Alarm work in addition to their regular duties, such extra pay shall be on the basis of December, 1932, less 15 per cent.

Police Department

Patrolmen to be paid $1,600 the first year, $1,700 second year, and reach the maximum of $1,785 the third year.

Women Clerks

The Committee has undertaken to regulate their salaries on a basis of service involved. It is of the opinion that in the past certain departmental clerks have been unduly favored by heads of departments.

Common Labor

The Committee is of the opinion that heads of departments should, in certain cases, readjust ratings and wages of certain semi-skilled employees. This is a matter which can probably best be left to the heads of departments. The Committee especially recommends that special advanced wage ratings shall apply for only such time as the employees are actually engaged in such tasks, and when engaged at minor tasks they be paid a suitable lower wage.

School Department

We recommend to the School Committee, and have so advised them:

1. That the basis to govern salaries and wages in 1934 be the same as the last nine months of 1933, namely, the wage and salary scale of the Fall of 1932 less 15 per cent.
2. That salaries be definitely established at such a net figure that a clear and definite understanding may at all times be had that such are the individual salaries for 1934, without any confusing reference to a percentage deduction.
3. That automatic increases in salaries, if granted, of such teachers as are, under the terms of usual teacher engagement contracts, entitled to increases for successive years, be on the same basis as in effect in the fall of 1932, less 15 per cent in each case.
4. That the whole enrollment of miscellaneous manual labor employees be scrutinized in order to disclose ways and means of reducing the total of such wages without impairment of service.

The Committee has prepared certain motions, which it proposes to offer at this Meeting, in order to bring its recommendations properly before the Meeting for action.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKMAN D. HOWE, *Chairman*,
WILLIAM P. McEVOY, *Vice-Chairman*,
LAURENCE S. CALDWELL, *Secretary*,
CARLETON G. McINTOSH, *Asst. Secretary*,
GEORGE A. LORD,
JULIUS F. HALLER,
WILLIAM P. BAILEY,
Committee.

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

December 30, 1934.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Needham:

The most important change in the Zoning By-Law voted at the March Town Meeting covered the placing of greater restrictions on the operation of gravel pits so that they may be under greater control so that we can protect the value of adjoining property to a greater extent than heretofore.

The Board has held weekly meetings and has been active in combating the granting of permits by the State Department of Public Works for the erection of bill boards within the Town.

The Planning Board has been active in holding route 128 against encroachment in order that it may remain unencumbered by detrimental roadside invasions.

Various members of the Planning Board have been tied in with other committees pertaining to special problems that have arisen; these have included sand and gravel pits, matters pertaining to bill boards and recommendations for projects for CWA and ERA and federal expenditures.

The Board is frequently called on for interpretations of the Zoning Laws in relation to proposed activities; and has attended hearings and has supplied information whenever requested.

The Needham Planning Board have always believed that proper planning at times requires discussions with adjoining towns where decisions might affect them. The Board has not hesitated to confer with adjoining planning boards where any of the activities or studies would appear to bring up a point that had regional matters as well as local to be considered.

The Needham Board have pioneered the idea that planning must bear a relationship to the adjoining regions and have encouraged co-operation in fostering this idea.

An example of this is the fact that route 128 is being maintained by other towns, as far as possible, free from business as it is in Needham.

Another example is the study which has been going forward with the Wellesley Planning Board with a view of increasing the safety of Great Plain Avenue, particularly on that part of it which lies beyond the Wellesley line and is used so much by Needham inhabitants.

The Planning Board has always carried on their studies as the growth of the Town suggests problems to be considered and have tried to make their work effective and to the point.

Courtesy of The Needham Chronicle

FORBES ALEXANDER McLEOD

Courtesy of The Needham Chronicle

FRANCIS OLIVER HADDOCK

The Planning Board have never presented visionary schemes for consideration to the Town. We have tried to maintain the physical integrity of the Town and to indicate plans for its gradual improvement and to fight any plans which would be derogatory.

ERNEST B. ALLEN, *Chairman*,
GEORGE A. YOUNG, *Secretary*,
ARTHUR W. ROHN,
ARTHUR G. CURREN,
WILLIAM ADAMS,
Town of Needham Planning Board.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Report of the Committee appointed by the Moderator to draft resolutions pertaining to the following motion:

"It is moved that a committee be appointed to draw up a set of resolutions, to be spread upon the Town Records and to be sent to the families of our policemen, expressing in words the sorrow of the Town for the tragedy of February 2nd, 1934."

In accordance therewith the Committee submits the following Resolutions.

HELEN M. STEVENS,
MABEL PARKS FRISWELL,
SAMUEL KINGSBURY, *Chairman.*

Whereas, on Friday, February second, nineteen hundred thirty-four, in connection with the armed robbery of the Needham Trust Company, Forbes Alexander McLeod and Francis Oliver Haddock, members of the Needham Police Department, were ruthlessly murdered while faithfully and unhesitatingly performing their duty to the citizens of Needham, and

Whereas, at the same time, Timothy L. Coughlin, member of the Needham Fire Department, was dangerously injured, and

Whereas, at the same time, Walter H. Bartholomew, vault-keeper for the Needham Trust Company, was seriously and permanently injured, and

Whereas, never in the history of the town has the indignation and sympathy of every man, woman and child been so aroused, and

Whereas, the Town of Needham on Monday, March twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred thirty-four in Town Meeting

assembled, unanimously voted to express in words its sorrow for the tragic event and to spread such a set of resolutions upon its town record and to send copies to the families involved.

Therefore, the following memorial is dedicated to Officer McLeod and Officer Haddock.

These men who nobly laid down their lives for our protection and gave to Needham the last full measure of courage and devotion were men of true Christian character. Their conduct in the squares of Needham was such as to endear them to the people for they carried out their routine duties in a spirit of helpfulness and cheerfulness. In sunshine and in rain, four times a day, they looked out for the school children — children to whom they were "Mac" and "Frank." They regulated the traffic with courtesy alike to drivers and pedestrians giving preference to the aged and the timid. Whenever it became necessary to make an arrest they did it in a kindly but unyielding manner. In case of accident their response was immediate and if injury had resulted their hearts were sympathetic and their hands were tender.

To be a hero to young children, to be a staff to the old, to hold in reverence one's oath, to be so friendly that little children run to clasp one's hand and elderly townspeople gladly accept guidance, to do it all with such a beaming smile that the smile was known and spoken of all over town, and then to crown one's work with the ultimate gift of one's life is surely to render noble service, inspiring to the public, reassuring to one's conscience and acceptable to God.

We, the people of Needham, will ever hold Forbes Alexander McLeod and Francis Oliver Haddock in a special place in our memories. We accept their sacrifice humbly. We extend to the families whose loved ones made this supreme sacrifice our sympathy in their irreparable loss and hereby express our great sorrow for the overwhelming tragedy.

SAMUEL KINGSBURY, *Chairman*,
HELEN M. STEVENS,
MABEL P. FRISWELL,
For the Town of Needham.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

The eighth annual report of the Board of Health since it was organized as a separate Board is one of outstanding progress. In 1930 the Board made three recommendations: one, with regard to dental work in the schools; two, that the Board establish a definite tuberculosis program with clinical service and a part-time nurse; three, that the Town erect a rubbish incinerator. The two recommendations with regard to dental work and a tuberculosis program have been inaugurated this year. The dental program is being sponsored by the Public Health Committee of the New Century Club, under the able leadership of Dr. Erma Grapek.

The most important work now being carried on by the Board is the tuberculosis program. This includes early diagnosis and prompt hospitalization. This is the policy of the Board of Health. Dr. Henry D. Chadwick, Commissioner of Public Health, recently stated, "It is false economy for public officials to refuse, neglect or delay hospitalization of persons suffering with tuberculosis." The Commissioner also declared that the remarkable reduction in the tuberculosis death rate began when the Commonwealth started the program of hospitalization of tuberculosis patients. The percentage of cures was also greatly increased. It was necessary this year to ask for a transfer from the Reserve Fund of an additional $2,448.71 for hospitalization of all communicable diseases. The total spent for tuberculosis hospitalization this year was $3,819.15. This unusually large amount is partly due to the economic situation today, as, owing to decreased incomes, families cannot pay for hospitalization. The cases of communicable disease must be hospitalized, however, as a safeguard, not only to the patient and immediate family, but also to the community.

The excellent work carried on by Mrs. Rose M. Mayers, R.N., Board of Health Nurse, is a great satisfaction to the Board of Health. She started her work December 7, 1933, under a CWA project. The appropriation for a part-time Board of Health Nurse was voted at the Annual Town Meeting, March 19, 1934, and Mrs. Mayers started her work as a regular employee of the Board of Health on March 26, 1934. The full report of her service to the Town is submitted at the end of this report. Due to her activities, a larger number of children than ever before was sent to the Norfolk County Health Camp. These children are chosen on the recommendation of the School Nurse, the Visiting Nurse and Mrs. Mayers, as those needing the special care given at the Camp as a preventive of tuberculosis. This work is supported by the Tuberculosis Seal Sale, and the Board is grateful to Dr. Erma

Grapek of the Committee for her fine work in this connection. Both Doctor Grapek and Mrs. Mayers were instrumental in securing special donations so that a larger number of children could go to the Health Camp.

The present Chairman began work on the Board of Health in 1924, when the Selectmen acted as the Board of Health. The comparison of statistics of ten years ago and those of today may be of interest. In 1924, the population was 8,695. The infant mortality rate, acknowledged to be the best index of public health work, was 74.4. Then there was only a part-time agent with headquarters in Wellesley. Out of a total of 20 known tuberculosis cases, there were only two patients at Norfolk County Hospital. The tuberculosis records were entirely insufficient. There were four cases of diphtheria reported and one death. The appropriation was $3,375. In the Report of 1924 is written, "Needham must realize that preventive public health work is possible in any community today and is a measure of economy, because the economic cost of disease cannot be estimated."

In 1934, with a population of 12,435, there is a full-time Public Health Officer, and a part-time Public Health Nurse. The laboratory established in the Town Hall is excellent. Complete records of vital statistics are available. There are 18 active cases of tuberculosis, 11 of which are hospitalized. The infant mortality rate for 1933, the last year records are available, was 33. There were 2 cases of diphtheria, both of which recovered. The appropriation for salaries and maintenance for 1934 was $5,980, and transfers amounting to $2,823.71 were necessary. It may also be observed that there has been no case of typhoid fever in the Town of Needham since 1927.

Once again the Board of Health wishes to express deep appreciation of the splendid work done by Miss Eugenia Minor, the Visiting Nurse, who has charge of the Baby Clinic which is supported by the Needham Chapter of the Red Cross. This most important work is partly responsible for the low infant mortality rate.

The Board also feels very great satisfaction in the work of Mr. G. Donald Buckner, Health Officer. He is a graduate of Course VII, of the Department of Biology and Public Health of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. His work is efficient and of the highest order, and is well recognized by the State Department of Public Health and the Massachusetts Association of Boards of Health of which he is now Secretary and Treasurer.

The benefits of a modern Public Health Program cannot adequately be measured in dollars and cents. It can only be estimated by the saving of lives, and the resulting happiness to the people of the community.

The continued work over a period of years of the tuberculosis program inaugurated this year should show results that will be of great benefit to the Town of Needham. Every effort is made to further communicable disease control. Both administration and records of vital statistics are adequately taken care of. This branch of the work, however, could be handled more economically from an administrative point of view with the aid of a clerk. The Board feels that to use the Health Officer to do routine clerical work is poor economy; therefore, the Board is asking for a part-time clerk in 1935. Now the Health Officer has to spend too much time on clerical work, and has not enough time for other professional duties. The inspection of milk, water, waste disposal, food-handling establishments, also the inspection of complaints and nusiances are well conducted by the Health Officer. The Board of Health nursing service has made an excellent start.

All of these activities are included in the recommendations made by the American Public Health Association. Much of this program is aimed at the conservation of the child. There is no more important problem today than the health of the child, who is the citizen of tomorrow. The present Board of Health is vitally interested in promoting the health and welfare of the people of the Town of Needham.

The following recommendations are made:

1. Employment of a part-time clerk.
2. Extension of the dental service in the schools.
3. Continuation of the mosquito control program.
4. Extension of the sewerage system.
5. Increased child hygiene program of pre-school age, including a Diphtheria Clinic.
6. Provision in the future for disposal of rubbish, such as a rubbish incinerator operated by the Town.

LESLIE B. CUTLER, *Chairman*,
ROBERT N. McCLELLAN, *Secretary*,
DAVID E. MANN, M.D.,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF THE HEALTH OFFICER, 1934

To the Board of Health of Needham:

I have the pleasure to submit the following report for 1934:

General Administration and Vital Statistics

As part of the administrative duties 95 licenses were issued to qualified individuals and firms, and $89.50 in fees were received for the use of the town. In addition, 52 licenses for the

collection and disposal of rubbish, and for which there is no fee, were issued.

The birth, death, and infant mortality rates shown in Table I include residents of Needham only, as non-residents and stillbirths are deducted, and the births or deaths of residents which occurred outside of Needham are included in computing the rates. The infant mortality rate is the number of deaths of infants under one year of age which occur in a year per 1,000 live births in the same year. The population figures are estimated as of July first and are based on the Federal Censuses of 1920 and 1930. In spite of the hardships of recent years the resident death rate continued to be low. There were three stillbirths in 1934. The resident birth rate has steadily declined in recent years, and the rate of 12.6 for 1933 is the lowest to date.

TABLE I

Birth, Death, and Infant Mortality Rates

Year	Mid-Year Population	Resident Live Births	Resident Birth Rate per 1000 Population	Deaths of Residents	Resident Death Rate per 1,000 Population	Infant Deaths, Residents	Infant Mortality Rate
1928	10,191	187	18.3	107	10.5	12	64
1929	10,565	163	15.4	96	9.1	5	31
1930	10,939	167	15.3	107	9.8	6	36
1931	11,313	173	15.3	122	10.8	7	40
1932	11,687	160	13.7	99	8.5	2	13
1933	12,061	152	12.6	115	9.5	5	33
1934	12,435	...	...	111	8.9	..	..

Communicable Diseases

The year 1934 witnessed an unusually high incidence of communicable disease, 1,010 cases were reported. This increase was due in part to the epidemic of mumps which started in 1933 and continued through June, 1934. From July 1, 1934, to the end of the year only one case of mumps was reported. From Table II it may be seen that more cases of chicken pox and whooping cough were reported in 1934 than in recent years. Eighteen cases of lobar pneumonia were reported, and four deaths resulted from this disease. Unfortunately one death resulted from scarlet fever; the majority of the cases, however, were of a mild nature. In October two cases of diphtheria occurred, both in unimmunized pre-school children who recovered. Owing to the pressure and amount of other Board of Health duties during the fall it was not possible to conduct the clinics for the immunization of children against diphtheria.

Sixteen cases of pulmonary tuberculosis were reported in 1934, this is more than double the number of such cases reported in recent years. The follow-up visit of the Chadwick Clinic was held in May, and the children who were found in 1933 by this Clinic to have the childhood type of tuberculosis or were suspects were re-examined. It was found that all of the children had improved. With the advent of a Board of Health Nurse a much more comprehensive program of tuberculosis control has been established. A detailed summary of the tuberculosis situation in Needham is included in the report of the Board of Health Nurse. During the year five Needham residents died from pulmonary tuberculosis.

The attention of parents is again called to the fact that all cases of communicable disease are required to be reported to the Board of Health, regardless of the age of the patient or the severity of the case.

TABLE II

Cases of Communicable Diseases, 1929 to 1934

Disease	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
Anterior poliomyelitis	...	1	1	...	1	...
Chicken pox	89	27	79	29	107	193
Diphtheria	3	6	1	3	3	2
Diseases of the eye	1	...	1	1	1	1
Dog bite	31	27	35	48	50	64
Encephalitis lethargica	...	...	1	...	...	...
German measles	5	129	26	11	10	10
Gonorrhea	8	2	11	7	3	9
*Influenza	7	1	2	1	...	...
Lobar pneumonia	5	9	5	5	6	18
Measles	13	221	32	14	51	183
Mumps	2	10	32	17	298	345
Scarlet fever	37	18	20	61	33	41
Septic sore throat	3	1	...	...	...	...
Syphilis	...	1	2	...	2	8
Tuberculosis:						
Pulmonary	5	6	5	2	6	16
Extra-pulmonary	2	2	4	6	20	1
Whooping cough	35	37	15	94	72	119
Total — Each Year	246	498	272	299	663	1,010

*On May 9, 1933, influenza was withdrawn from the list of reportable diseases by the Public Health Council.

Sanitation

The bakeries and other food-handling establishments in Needham were inspected throughout the year. One new bakery was registered. Local dairies and establishments for the pasteurization of milk were inspected and three such pasteurizing plants located in Needham were again licensed. A large proportion of the milk sold in Needham is pasteurized;

that which is sold raw is from tuberculin-tested herds. Twenty-one dealers were licensed to sell and distribute milk, and forty-two milk licenses were issued to retail stores.

The Board of Health continued to maintain the public dump on Central Avenue. Through a CWA, and later, an FERA project an attendant was stationed at the dump, as in 1933, until the project was ended June 14, 1934. Because the town's request for a renewal of this project was refused by the State FERA Headquarters it became necessary to obtain a transfer from the Reserve Fund in order to employ an attendant for the balance of the year. The Departments of Public Welfare, Soldiers' Relief, and Public Works co-operated with the Board in loaning extra men and equipment in order to clean up the rubbish which had accumulated during the few weeks the dump was without an attendant.

A large crew of men were employed the entire year in mosquito control work under FERA projects. These men were under the supervision of Mr. Hollis, the Superintendent of Public Works. Much of the work consisted of draining the swampy, mosquito-breeding areas around Rosemary Lake. In addition, other important breeding areas were drained, chiefly by ditching, and brooks through such land were deepened and widened. Drainage work done in previous years was also checked and improved.

The numerous complaints received were carefully investigated and abated or adjusted. Overflowing cesspools continued to be the chief cause of complaints, and will doubtless continue to be until the sewerage system is extended. The contract for the collection of garbage for the year beginning May 1, 1934, was awarded to Waldo M. Chamberlain of Needham. Owing to the efficient collection service of Mr. Chamberlain complaints from this source were reduced to a minimum.

Laboratory

In 1934 289 specimens were examined in the laboratory for physicians. This is the largest number of examinations made since the Needham laboratory was established in 1928. Such specimens include throat cultures for diphtheria, sputa for tuberculosis, smears for gonorrhea, and swabs for Vincent's angina. In addition to water analyses frequent analyses of the milk sold in Needham were carried out. The results of these tests showed that the milk sold continued to be of good quality.

Persons interested in the work are cordially invited to visit the office and laboratory.

Respectfully submitted,

G. DONALD BUCKNER, S. B.,
Health Officer and Milk Inspector.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH NURSE, 1934

To the Board of Health of Needham:

I herewith submit my report as part-time Board of Health Nurse.

I was employed by the Civil Works Administration as Board of Health Nurse on a project which was started December 7, 1933, and ended March 22, 1934. From January 1 to March 22, 1934, under this project, ninety-one home visits were made to tuberculosis patients, and to contacts and suspects. At these visits instruction in proper home care and hygienic measures was given when necessary. Six trips were made to, and twenty-six individuals were given a physical and X-ray examination at the Norfolk County Hospital, South Braintree.

On March 26, 1934, I began work as the Board of Health Nurse, and worked three days a week, Monday, Tuesday and Friday, for the balance of the year. A considerable amount of the Nurse's time must be spent in office conferences with patients, physicians and officials, and in record keeping.

Expert tuberculosis diagnostic service is available to the Board of Health without additional cost at the Norfolk County Hospital. Owing to the fact that this clinic service is limited to Tuesdays, practically every Tuesday morning was spent in transporting patients to the Hospital for examination and X-ray. On these mornings, the patients from Needham in the Hospital were visited, and inquiries were made as to their condition. These visits are not included in the summary at the end of this report.

The follow-up Chadwick Clinic which was held in May was attended by the Board of Health Nurse who called on the children's parents to see that instructions given by physicians were carried out. All the cases of the childhood type of tuberculosis were carefully followed up, and the children were reexamined either at the Norfolk County Hospital clinic or at the follow-up Chadwick Clinic.

Eight children were sent to the Norfolk County Health Camp from July 1 to August 25, 1934. All made substantial improvements in their physical condition and health habits. These children had been reported by the Chadwick Clinic in 1933 as having the childhood type of tuberculosis.

In order to follow up these children and others on the visiting list, a follow-up clinic was established September 7, 1934. This is held in the basement of the Town Hall. Twenty-three children and four adults attended the clinic. These individuals are weighed every two weeks and measured every three months.

Of the sixteen new cases of pulmonary tuberculosis reported in 1934, three were admitted to a private hospital, nine were admitted to the Norfolk County Hospital, two were cared for at home and two died.

TUBERCULOSIS SUMMARY, 1934

Number of families on visiting list	79
*Number of home visits made	286
*Number of trips to transport individuals to Norfolk County Hospital	41
*Number of individuals examined and X-rayed at the Norfolk County Hospital	144

*For the period March 26 to December 31, 1934.

TUBERCULOSIS CASES, NEEDHAM RESIDENTS ONLY, AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1934

Form	Active			Arrested	Total
	Total	Home	Hospital		
Pulmonary	18	7	11	28	46
Childhood type (Hilum)	19	19	..	1	20
Extra-pulmonary	2	..	2	10	12
Total	39	26	13	39	78

RECORD OF NEEDHAM PATIENTS AT NORFOLK COUNTY HOSPITAL, 1934

Patients in Hospital January 1, 1934	3
Patients admitted during 1934	11
Total number of Needham residents at Hospital during 1934	14
Discharged or left in 1934	7
Patients at Hospital December 31, 1934	7

I wish to express my appreciation to the members of the Board of Health and Health Officer, and to the New Century Club for helping to transport patients to the Norfolk County Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE M. MAYERS, R. N.

Board of Health Nurse.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

December 31, 1934.

To the Citizens of the Town of Needham:

We respectfully submit this the 21st annual report of this department.

Considering that the year just closed has in many respects been the hardest which this department has ever faced, we desire to point with modest pride to the fact that we have been able to care for an increased load without increasing our administrative expense. We are confronted with the obvious duty to the tax-payer of keeping the cost down and our statutory duty of rendering adequate relief to our clients. In spite of the assistance given the Town through the ERA it has been necessary for this department to assist a total of 324 cases, representing 1,296 persons, divided as follows:

	1934	1933
Temporary Aid	259 cases	242 cases
Mother's Aid	14 cases	11 cases
Old Age Assistance	51 cases	45 cases

This shows an increase against the number of cases and persons cared for last year, namely: 298 cases, 944 persons, partially because it was necessary for us to assume transportation charges for 66 cases covering the delivery of Federal coal early in 1934.

The total gross expenditures, including all items of expense as well as relief, was $65,270.34, from which must be deducted reimbursements and credits received in the amount of $25,-704.54, representing unsettled cases and one-third of the expense on account of Mother's Aid and Old Age Assistance cases, making the net cost to the Town $39,565.80. The $25,704.54 reimbursement goes into the General Fund and is not credited to Welfare although it represents amounts paid from Welfare funds. Had it not been for the assistance given by the Federal Government in furnishing ERA funds, our gross Welfare expenditures would undoubtedly have reached close to $175,000.

It will be interesting to note that the net cost of relief is as follows:

Temporary Aid cases	$19,083.28	Average per case	$73.68
Mother's Aid Cases	3,728.50	Average per case	266.32
Old Age Assistance	8,050.31	Average per case	157.85

Included in the above total of $65,270.34 are the following items, which indicate the scope of our work:

Expenses account of ERA	$796.77
Federal Coal Delivery Charges	206.25
Unemployment Service	45.00
Operating cost of wood lot	1,708.63

During the year ending November 22nd, we continued to operate our wood lot with men working out relief given through this department, a total of 275 cords of wood being cut up to that time. On November 22nd, this became an ERA project and from that time until the end of the year an additional 90 cords were cut, making a total of 365 cords. It is estimated that we have on hand at the close of the year about 80 cords, the balance having been delivered to the needy of the Town, representing a considerable saving in our fuel costs.

In addition to the above, this department has had the full responsibility of the distribution of food stuffs and other supplies received from the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, which has increased our work immensely. A detailed list of the commodities distributed has previously appeared in the press.

The Department has an inventory of $1,881.68, which represents a cost price of at least one-half present day prices for the most part.

The sincere thanks of the Board is extended to all who have co-operated with us in any way during this trying year.

Respectfully submitted,

EVAN C. THORPE, *Chairman*,
CATHERINE F. TAPPAN,
ALFRED T. BAKER,
AUSTIN H. KEYES,
CHARLES H. DAVIS,
Board of Public Welfare.

COMPARATIVE CLASSIFICATION OF AID RENDERED

	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
Board	$1,329 50	$2,251 58	$2,021 82	$1,529 85	$2,883 56	$2,954 27	$2,690 64	$3,096 97	$3,945 28	$5,466 02
Rent	720 00	237 00	818 00	805 00	515 00	1,103 70	3,737 08	7,486 38	10,420 28	6,795 71
Food	.....	12 00	153 10	.....	15 26	216 13	3,172 25	5,904 84	5,905 69	5,104 78
Medical aid	70 00	88 92	.....	61 50	114 00	258 56	387 81	1,332 93	1,058 66	1,448 05
Clothing	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	155 76	133 00	830 68
Fuel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	351 44	519 52	2,640 61
Agent's salary	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00	500 00	483 34	50 00	1,181 33	1,363 53
Visitor's salary	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	1,200 00	1,009 33	1,190 00
Clerk's salary	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	1,163 78	793 19
Misc. and dept. expense	41 66	80 61	186 38	65 25	139 26	249 06	394 11	576 24	882 90	1,352 42
Woodlot expense	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,699 50	1,869 08	1,708 63
Hospital	1,905 45	1,798 39	963 82	148 54	.....	202 95	1,379 67	1,988 33	3,073 97	1,917 43
Burials	232 00	50 00	.....	250 00	.....	.....	381 00	.....	133 00	449 00
Cash disbursements	8,337 32	6,692 06	7,700 87	11,741 06	11,795 00	16,188 00	26,234 39	41,127 02	47,560 48	33,117 77
E R A expenses	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	796 17
Unemployment service	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45 00
Gross expenditure	$13,096 38	$11,723 34	$12,344 73	$14,944 50	$16,046 28	$22,329 39	$39,360 29	$65,469 41	$78,856 30	$65,018 99
Reimbursements	4,547 91	6,536 95	2,203 44	2,158 30	3,554 63	2,568 08	3,956 64	11,688 93	21,196 10	25,453 19
Net expenditure	$8,548 47	$5,186 39	$10,141 29	$12,836 20	$12,491 65	$19,761 31	$35,403 65	$53,780 48	$57,660 20	$39,565 80

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE NEEDHAM FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR 1934

In 1934 there were taken from the main Library and its deposit stations seventy-seven thousand seven hundred and ninety-six (77,796) volumes for home reading, and a large but unknown number of books and magazines were read on the premises. At the close of September our reliable and popular Second Assistant, Mrs. Berry, left us to take a more lucrative library position in the City of Everett.

The tower on the Library building is in poor condition, and has been examined by Town Officials, including our Inspector of Buildings, and by others, and we are told that it will cost a substantial sum to put the tower in order, and that the work should be done in the spring. Some other repairs are also needed.

We have done the best we could with a reduced appropriation, which reduction the times made necessary, and in reply to suggestions and requests, we have had sometimes to say that we did not have the means to comply. Many people read chiefly new books, of which a great number appear each year, and we cannot buy all of these books, nor to any extent, under existing conditions, books interesting or useful to very few persons. Skilful advertising often results in a demand for short-lived novels of little merit.

We feel that the service has been good at the Library, and that its business has run smoothly.

Respectfully submitted for the Trustees,

GEORGE K. CLARKE, *Chairman*,

January 14, 1935.

NEEDHAM FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I have the honor to submit my annual report for the year 1934.

In the last few years Public Libraries all over the country have been faced with the same situation — an increased demand for books on all subjects, and a decreased book fund. In the annual report of a nearby Library, I find these sentences: "The Library can no more flourish without books than can a dry goods store without a fresh supply of goods. As to the recurring suggestion that we make people use our old books, it is as practical as to bring up from the cellar of a store linen dusters, bustles, and 1910 hats, and expect to sell them."

We in Needham have been handicapped by a book fund which has slidden rapidly down hill since 1929. In a time when our work might well be extended, because of enforced leisure and more time for reading, our best efforts must be put forth in order not to lose ground. Many persons living in the vicinity of Bird's Hill and Hurd's Corner find the trip to the Library too far. In order to meet the Library needs of the Town adequately there should be branches in both the regions named.

The accompanying graph shows clearly the book appropriation and book circulation figures for the last ten years. In spite of the decreased funds, it will be noted that the circulation has been remarkably sustained.

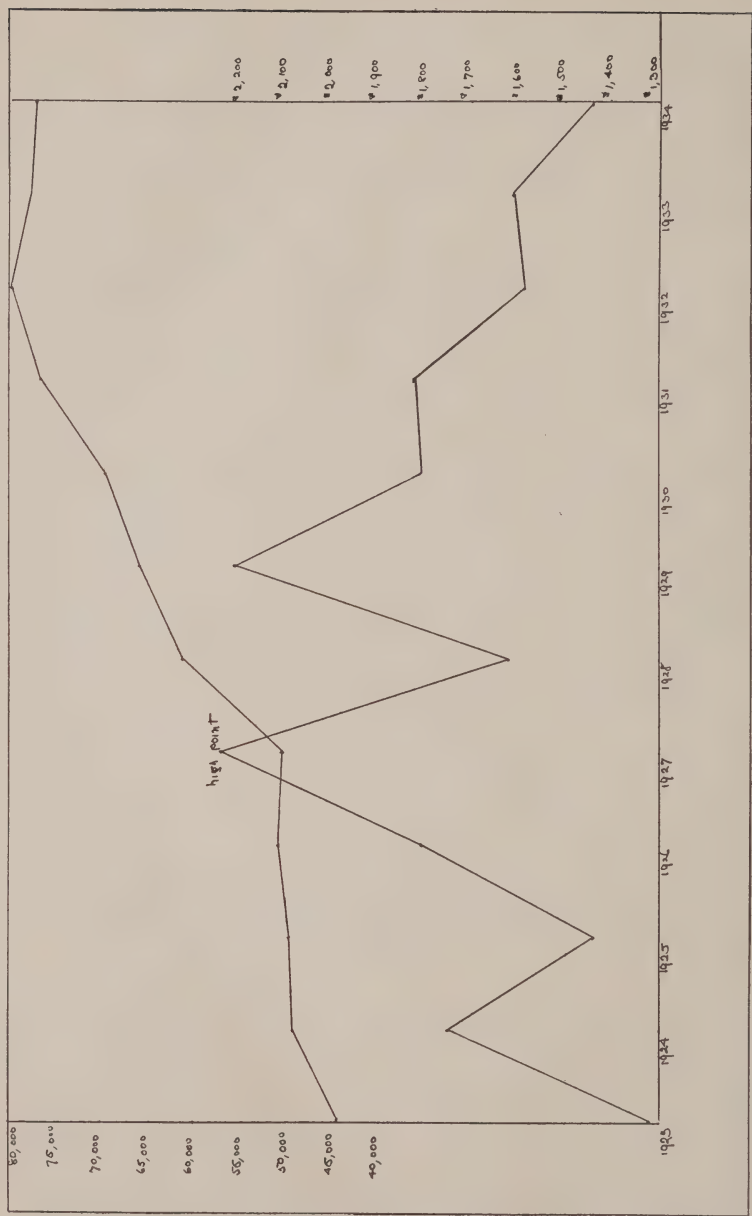
The Library work with the Schools continues as usual, and is much appreciated by teachers and students. The collections of books lent in the classrooms are read as supplementary reading, to encourage reading habits, to increase reading abilities. There are about 700 Library books in the Public Schools constantly being changed frequently to meet the School needs. The following Schools borrow the Library books: Riverside, Eliot, William Carter, Stephen Palmer, Harris and Dwight. A great deal more of this work could be done if the Library had sufficient books. Since the juvenile collection numbers only about 3,000 books in all, it is impossible to loan a larger number to the Schools.

A good deal of emergency work was done in the Library last year. We had a CWA worker from January to March, and have had two ERA workers from July to December. These workers are mending books and gradually putting the shelves in a very good condition. This work has entailed a good deal of time on the part of Staff members, who have taught and supervised the work.

The Library has received various valuable gifts of books during the year, which were gratefully received. The donors were as follows: Mrs. P. D. Howe, Mrs. I. Tucker Burr, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Laird, and Mr. John Clair Minot.

The year 1934, marked the starting of the Wyeth Collection. It is the aim of the Public Library to collect the books illustrated by Newell Convers Wyeth, and the plates he has done as magazine illustrations. Since Mr. Wyeth was born in Needham, such a collection has great local significance. So far as I have been able to learn, the collection is the only one of its kind in existence. Mr. Ralph Heard has offered to design and present a suitable book plate for the collection. It is the purpose of the Library to add to the collection as the books can be picked up at reasonable prices, and so over a period of years, create something that is of local and artistic importance.

STATISTICAL RECORD OF BOOK APPROPRIATIONS AND OF BOOK CIRCULATION FROM 1923-1934*



* See Table I on opposite page.

TABLE I

YEAR	Circulation Figures	Appropriations for Books and Magazines
1923	44,954	$1,325 20
1924	48,178	1,767 84
1925	48,314	1,447 03
1926	52,106	1,814 53
1927	51,258	2,289 91
1928	61,826	1,624 08
1929	66,522	2,248 75
1930	68,942	1,836 28
1931	77,536	1,862 96
1932	80,674	1,598 90
1933	78,988	1,602 97
1934	77,796	1,450 53

The Librarian has undertaken some Library broadcasting during the year. On February 4th, she gave a book talk on Station WBSO. She was appointed Chairman of the Radio Committee of the Charles River Library Club, under whose auspices an eight-week program was given on Station WEEI, beginning October 22nd. Libraries have been broadcasting for ten years and more. It is felt that this important new means of communication cannot be overlooked.

By means of special exhibits, posters, books displayed in connection with holidays and anniversaries, the Library has endeavored to sustain interest and show readers its resources. During Book Week, in November, a very interesting group of model airplanes was shown, made by the boys of the Needham Model Airplane Club. In May the local artists had a fine show of pictures, which was well hung by Mr. George Bardwell.

In 1934, the Library inaugurated its quarterly bulletin. This is a list of the new books, with brief annotations for some of the titles. This is a service which is much appreciated by the public. The list is of such a size that it may be slipped into a pocket-book and kept for reference.

There has been one change in staff personnel. Mrs. Ruth Berry resigned October 1st, to accept a position in the Parlin Memorial Library in Everett, Mass. She was an able and efficient assistant and is much missed. Miss Esther Baker was appointed November 2nd.

The Librarian wishes to express to the Chairman and Board of Trustees her appreciation of their interest, co-operation and support. The statistical report follows:

Library Statistics

Days Library was open	304
Total circulation (Main Library and Deposit Stations)	77,796
Books borrowed on Inter-Library Loan	158
New registration of borrowers	994
Fines collected	$224 52
Reserve cards mailed	1,553
Overdue notices sent	1,418
Total circulation of magazines from Main Library	4,260
Total juvenile circulation from Main Library	23,636

Accessions

Books added by purchase	750
Books added by State	12
Books added by gift	98
Total gain	860
Books withdrawn:	
Worn out, etc.	363
Contagious disease in home	14
Total withdrawn	377
Net gain	483

Circulation From Main Library by Classes

General Works	111
Philosophy	382
Religion	187
Sociology	2,119
Language	447
Science	963
Useful Arts	1,342
Fine Arts	1,371
Literature	3,583
History	2,147
Travel	1,762
Biography	3,421
Total Non-Fiction	17,835
Fiction	51,134
Magazines	4,260
Total circulation from Main Library	73,229

Circulation From Schools

The Harris School		
Adult books	559	
Juvenile books	1,206	
Magazines	66	
Total		1,833
The Eliot School		922
The Riverside School		1,639
The Dwight School		173

Respectfully submitted,

BARBARA ABBOTT, *Librarian.*

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

January 1, 1934 — December 31, 1934

Dwight School Fund		$6,000 00
Income 1934	$270 00	
Income paid to General Fund for benefit of School Department, $270.00. Fund invested in Real Estate Mortgages in Needham.		
Mary Virginia Hill Fund	$1,001 46	
Income 1934	27 68	
Balance in Savings Department, Needham Trust Company Account, No. 1127		1,029 14
Greenwood Fund		12,482 11
Income 1934	$369 41	
Original Fund invested as follows:		
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, No. 791654		1,837 82
Suffolk Savings Bank, No. 18272		1,833 32
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, No. 42291		1,355 03
Newton Savings Bank, No. 23552		1,040 40
Home Savings Bank, No. 195315		1,191 76
West Newton Savings Bank, No. 4238		1,086 86
Dedham Institution for Savings, No. 24479		1,085 81
The Provident Institution for Savings, No. 602807		1,551 11
Needham Trust Company, Savings Department No. 13613		1,500 00
Income 1917–1933 inclusive has been deposited in General Cash for the benefit of the Public Library; $369.41, received in 1934, will be available for expenses in 1935.		
Martha Ann Barr Fund		500 00
Income 1934	$13 75	
Savings Account in the Needham Trust Company, No. 4200. Income 1920–1933 inclusive has been deposited in General Cash for the benefit of the Public Library; $13.75 received in 1934 will be available for expenses in 1935.		
G. A. R. Fund, Cemetery		1,000 00
Income 1934	$45 65	
Savings Account, Needham National Bank, No. 3262		58 15
Fund invested in first mortgage on Real Estate in Needham.		

William G. Moseley, Scholarship Fund		
Original Bequest	$3,000 00	
Additional Bequest	1,000 00	
		$4,000 00
Income 1933	$112 87	
Income 1934	152 71	
	$265 58	
Scholarship Award	200 00	
	$65 58	
Received on account of mortgage	100 00	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 3108 in Needham National Bank		165 58
Fund invested in first mortgages on Real Estate in Needham.		
Mary E. Moseley Bed		
Original Bequest	$3,000 00	
Additional Bequest	1,000 00	
		4,000 00
Income 1933	112 87	
Income 1934	148 81	
Balance in Savings Department Account No. 3109 in Needham National Bank		261 68
Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham.		
George E. Wye Fund	$10,319 32	
Income 1934	285 59	
Savings Department Account No. 12254 in the Needham Trust Company		10,604 91
William Carter Company Fund	$8,416 33	
Income 1934	233 01	
Savings Department Account No. 36 in the Needham Nation Bank		8,649 34
Horace A. Carter Fund	$1,184 79	
Income 1934	32 78	
Savings Department Account No. 583 in the Needham		

National Bank		$1,217 57
Thomas Sutton Fund	$1,116 18	
Income 1934	30 89	
Savings Department Account No. 175 in the Needham National Bank		1,147 07
Building Fund	$7,876 89	
Income 1934	218 08	
Savings Department Account No. 37 in the Needham National Bank		8,094 97
Lyon Fund	$6,020 30	
Income 1934	166 67	
Savings Department Account No. 7545 in the Needham Trust Company		6,186 97
Seth A. Fowle Fund	$2,255 51	
Income 1934	62 43	
Savings Department Account No. 1369 in the Needham National Bank		2,317 94
Adeline E. Harris Fund	$114 96	
Income 1934	3 16	
Savings Department Account No. 1850 in the Needham National Bank		118 12
Elizabeth Fisher Fund	$113 47	
Income 1934	3 13	
Savings Department Account No. 1848 in the Needham National Bank		116 60
William Wentworth Fund	$57 43	
Income 1934	1 57	
Savings Department Account No. 1849 in the Needham National Bank		59 00

Lucy M. Cutter Fund	$2,783 50	
Income 1934.....	77 05	
Savings Department Account No. 1649 in the Needham National Bank		$2,860 55
Glover Fund	$2,671 50	
Income 1934.....	73 95	
Savings Department Account No. 1722 in the Needham National Bank		2,745 45
Building Fund	$11,126 78	
Income 1934.....	307 99	
Savings Department Account No. 4159 in the Needham Trust Company		11,434 77

PRESTON MITCHELL,
AMOS H. SHEPHERDSON,
ARNOLD MACKINTOSH,
Commissioners of Trust Funds.

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

FOR THE YEAR 1934

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REPORT OF PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Organization

Administration

LESTER C. HOLLIS, *Superintendent of Public Works*
1 Stenographer

Engineering Division

FRANK L. CHENEY, *Town Engineer*
1 Assistant

Highway Division

JOHN OVERTON, *Superintendent*
2 Foremen, 9 Mechanics and Skilled Laborers

Sewer Division

NORMAN M. WINCH, *Superintendent*
1 Foreman, 5 Mechanics and Skilled Laborers

Water Division

ROGER G. OAKMAN, *Superintendent*
1 Registrar, 1 Engineer, 1 Foreman, 5 Mechanics and Skilled Laborers

Forestry Division

ERNEST RILEY, *Tree Warden and Moth Superintendent*
1 Assistant

All division heads have submitted separate reports showing in detail, all statistics, computations and other data concerning the year's accomplishments, and recommendations for future work.

In keeping with the consolidation program to eliminate all but that which is absolutely essential, the contents of these various detailed reports have been extracted for incorporation in this report of the Department as a whole.

We hereby submit this brief summary of facts concerning the activities of the Public Works during the first year of its establishment. Special groups of citizens and others interested in more detailed data may be supplied with special computations and other information from available Departmental records.

The main accomplishments of the various departments and proposals for future improvements are outlined briefly as follows:

Engineering Division

The usual work in connection with the preparation of record Town plans from which Assessors' Plans are made has been carried on, and engineering services have been furnished, as needed, on regular Public Works as well as FERA projects.

An accurate survey covering an area of 1,890 acres has been made this year for the purpose of supplying information on the various tracts of land. Eleven large record plans of this territory are now being made from which fifteen block plans will be furnished to the Board of Assessors, making a total of fifty-eight plans furnished by this Department during the past five years.

The employment of ten men assigned to engineering work by the FERA has benefited the Town by a considerable saving in connection with supplying necessary surveys, computations and plans to accompany petitions for the acceptance of twelve streets, proposed to be constructed under the Betterment Act, and other engineering work.

The sum of $883.44 has been expended for materials and supplies used on FERA projects not anticipated in the budget for 1934.

Forestry Division

The usual work of the Tree Warden, such as planting trees, trimming and surgery, has been carried on. Moth suppression on the public lands and highways has been extensively undertaken this year with the assistance of men assigned from FERA.

A total of $744.10 has been assessed to owners of property on which work has been done by this Division.

The sum of $93.18 has been expended by this Division for materials and supplies used on FERA. However, this amount is offset by a considerable saving on labor expense, resulting unexpended balances from the original appropriations totaling to $1,495.09.

Highway Division

The various necessary work of maintaining the fifty and one-half miles of public highways has been accomplished. This Division, through FERA, has been able to add considerable value to the public highways by the construction of many facilities such as storm water drains, culverts, retaining walls, fences, signs, etc. However, the sum of $9,472.02 has been expended for materials, supplies and equipment used on work which would not have been undertaken, had it not been for the assistance of FERA.

The appropriation to this Division for 1934 was the smallest

amount which has been made during the past twenty years for the purpose of maintaining and reconstructing the Town highways. The present excellent condition of our highways will be seriously affected if proper amounts are not reinstated for the maintenance and preservation of the same. The budget of this division contains sufficient allowances to perform such necessary maintenance work during the coming year.

The outstanding job of this season was the reconstruction of Chestnut Street between School Street and Cedar Place, at the beginning of the State Highway. 2,430 square yards of bituminous macadam construction were made at a cost of $0.93 per square yard.

One particular accomplishment this year was the application of a veneer coating on the existing surface, by a mixed-in-place process of dragging and tarring. This method is deemed to be the solution of the problem for prolonging the life of many of our main streets at a very nominal cost. Approximately 15,350 square yards were done by this method on Highland Ave. at a cost of $.1475 per square yard.

Proposals for new construction are not pleasing to the tax payers during these times, but we believe that economies may be made by doing a considerable amount of necessary work now, as well as providing additional jobs for our unemployed.

Rosemary Street should be reconstructed between Hillside Avenue and Nehoiden Street. A fence should be installed on the retaining wall bordering the lake and curbings, and sidewalks should also be provided.

Portions of Highland Avenue not resurfaced this year by the mixed-in-place method previously described, should be similiarly treated to prolong the life and reshape the surfaces of this Highway.

Allowances for performing such work on this street and portions of Dedham Avenue and Great Plain Avenue have been included in the budget for 1935.

Snow Removal

The removal of snow from public highways and other streets was accomplished by use of the following equipment: —

1 "Best" Caterpillar Tractor equipped with Wausau V plough.
2 Fordson Tractors equipped with wooden V plough.
1 Mack Truck equipped with blade plough.
5 Heavy type privately owned trucks equipped with Town owned blade ploughs.
1 Light type privately owned truck equipped with V plough.

Sidewalk ploughing was accomplished by use of the following equipment:

2 Light Fordson Tractors equipped with blade ploughs.
13 Wooden V ploughs drawn by hired horses.

Practically all of the above Town owned equipment as well as private trucks which are hired, have been in use for a period of from seven to ten years.

Two Ford trucks of the Highway Division as well as others of the Sewer and Water Divisions and even the Forestry Division, not used on snow ploughing are more than five years old and should be replaced and made adaptable for road ploughing as needed.

Park Division

This Division of the Public Works has been disregarded during the past two years as evidenced by the appropriations, but the Highway Division has been carrying on the work of maintaining the parks from its regular departmental appropriation. This work consists of the necessary care by cutting grass, applying loam, seeding and fertilizing.

Approximately $300.00 has been expended by the Highway Division for performing the work this year.

Sewer Division

The construction work undertaken in 1933 for the relief of the unemployed was continued through 1934 under FERA. A total length of .73 miles of main and lateral sewers have been constructed this year at a cost to the Town of $12,633.02.

Of the .73 miles constructed this year, .23 miles were completed for service upon petition of the abutters and the regular assessments levied. Connections to the main sewers have been deferred on the remaining .50 miles, constructed solely for the purpose of providing work for unemployed, thereby preventing the levying of assessments on abutters at this time.

The sewerage system now consists of a total length of 16.55 miles of sewers in use and 3.17 miles not connected for service.

In addition to the expenditure of $12,633.02 for sewers installed this year, $1,677.25 has been expended on the completion of 1933 work.

House Connections

Eighty-six connections to houses have been made this year as compared to fifty-nine last year. This has been somewhat of a disappointment, as it was felt that with the acceptance by the Town of the legislative act permitting costs to be apportioned over a period of years on the tax bills, the number of connections would be greatly increased, thereby providing work for many men.

The sum of $5,076.46 has been expended this year from the appropriation of $10,000; therefore, we recommend the appropriation for 1935 be reduced to $5,000.

Water Division

The water works system has this year been subjected to severe tests. The first to be encountered occurred during the severe winter months when this Department was forced to thaw frozen mains and services at an expense of about $5,000. Many of these conditions have been rectified by lowering such mains and services to a sufficient depth below the frost line, a great deal of the labor having been furnished by FERA.

During the dry spell, the capacity of the water supply was heavily taxed in furnishing the Town's requirements. Particular attention was immediately focused on the comparatively new supply at the Great Plain Avenue station, located near the Dedham line. Investigation showed that the wells at this location were not producing a proper yield. Men were immediately set at work to rectify the causes by repairing and cleaning. This resulted in increasing the yield as well as lowering the vacuum. These minor repairs, however, did not insure sufficient supply to meet the capacity of the plant and it was deemed advisable to install twelve additional wells. These additional wells brought the total yield from this location up to 967,000 G.P.D. as determined by a twenty-four hour continuous pumpage on August 29, 1934. This amount added to the supply from the Dedham Avenue plant produced a maximum total of 1,340,000 G.P.D. during the dry period as compared to the maximum consumption of 1,215,000 G.P.D. during the same period.

It may readily be noted from the above figures that our maximum supply as compared to our maximum consumption is at a very close margin and that in the event of a prolonged drought or a large fire, there would not be a sufficient reserve to supply the demands. However, we are giving considerable thought to this subject and preliminary studies are being made to develop and increase our water supply.

Various minor leaks have been eliminated this year which have effected considerable savings in pumpage. Enlargements of mains or, in reality, replacements of $1\frac{1}{2}$-inch pipe serving as such have been made this year with the assistance of FERA and it is hoped that a considerable amount of work may be done along these lines during the coming year.

This is the first year the Water Division has been called upon to pay from its revenue, the annual amount of $7,000 on the outstanding long-term bonds. We believe each Town Department should assume the financial responsibility of its own indebtedness, but also believe that the Town should pay a proper amount as rental, for the purpose of maintaining its public hydrants. Payments for hydrant rentals made to this Division from general funds would materially assist in the reduction of rates, by not forcing these maintenance costs directly upon the consumer.

The installation of the quarterly billing system as established by the Water Commissioners prior to the expiration of this board, has resulted in a saving to the Department and the consumer, and has facilitated the prompt payment of bills.

Water Consumption and Miles of Water Mains 1934

Total Gallons of Water Consumed	293,057,000
Gallons Consumed Per Capita, Per Day ...	64
Total Miles of Mains and Distribution System	53.59
Total Length of Mains Replaced and Enlarged	1,846 ft.
Total Length of New Mains	1,961 ft.

TABLE OF COMPARATIVE WATER WORKS REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

Year	Revenue	Expenditures	Deficit	Surplus
1930	$73,439 80	$70,149 19	.....	$3,290 61
1931	55,173 02	55,072 34	.....	100 68
1932	51,909 75	66,399 70	$14,489 95	.....
1933	60,538 38	48,800 21	.....	11,738 17
1934	*60,714 37	†58,988 58	.....	1,725 79
Totals			$14,489 95	$16,855 25
Difference equals			$2,365 30	As Surplus
Total amount of revenue outstanding December 31, 1934 ...				$7,957 65

*Including $3,028.07 committed to Tax Collector.

†Including $7,000 Paid on Long-Term Bonds.

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES FOR WATER WORKS FROM FUNDS OUTSIDE EARNINGS

1930	Needham Gardens	$258 58
	Refunds	589 69
1931	Hillcrest Road	4,200 00
	Insuring and Protecting	16,656 21
	Needham Gardens	266 57
1933	Needham Gardens	387 61

Major Changes

The establishment of the Public Works Department has resulted in a substantial saving made possible by curtailment in clerk hire, skilled or regular labor hired, garage rent, telephones, supplies, materials and equipment, and in addition, indirect savings have been effected by curtailment in the number of men employed temporarily as common laborers on various construction jobs.

Assigned to the Public Works has been the task of providing work for the greater portion of the 250 persons employed on FERA. The cost of the materials, supplies and equipment furnished by this Department has resulted in considerable expense not anticipated when appropriations were made. However, we feel that considerable good has been accomplished by not only providing suitable work for those employed, but also by benefiting the Town through additional Public Works construction, the costs of which, at some future date, would be entirely borne by the Town.

Contributions Made to FERA Projects From Public Works Funds

Engineering Division	$883 44
Forestry Division	93 18
Highway Division	9,472 02
Sewer Division	14,578 63
Water Division	3,551 78
Total	$28,579 05

Proposals

For immediate improvements to effect economy, we recommend that suitable quarters be obtained to provide for all Department equipment, tools, materials and supplies. This will make possible the operation of a central bureau, financed by the various divisions of the Public Works Department. A suitable building might possibly be constructed in conjunction with FERA.

It appears to be the general belief in most municipalities that the officials are wasteful in the operation of motor equipment and the purchase and care of tools, materials and supplies. Whether or not such may be the case in Needham, we believe that the Public Works Department should operate a central station, if not for all Town departments, at least for its own divisions.

Your attention is hereby directed to the following tables from which you may obtain conclusions which are of special significance.

GENERAL STATISTICS REGARDING PUBLIC WORKS

Needham is suitated $10\frac{1}{4}$ miles southwest of Boston in latitude 42°-16′ north, and in longitude 17°-14′ west, at an elevation above mean sea level of from 85 feet to 304 feet.

Population December 31, 1934	11,948	
Total area of Town	8,162	acres
Miles of water mains	53.59	
" " sewer mains in use	16.55	
" " " " not in use	3.17	
" " granolithic walks	15.25	
" " bituminous walks	8.10	
" " storm water drains	12.85	
" " public streets and town ways	50.50	
" " state highways	6.00	
" " private ways (dedicated to public use)	15.00	
Miles of other private ways	15.00	apprx.
Park lands	15.40	acres
Water Lands	126.00	acres

PUBLIC WORKS EXPENDITURES OUT OF GENERAL FUNDS

Classification of Work	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
Administration	.....	.....	.....	.....	$2,550 00
Engineering	$4,042 11	$4,180 26	$4,228 43	$3,346 04	3,293 07
Tree Trimming and Surgery	1,476 99	1,499 79	2,194 22	1,175 93	1,084 08
Moth Suppression (Public)	3,466 74	3,497 79	3,500 62	2,060 29	3,350 95
Tree Nursery	48 05	91 00	71 54	.....	50 00
Highway (General)	109,822 34	103,361 85	71,012 87	36,438 12	31,256 26
Sidewalks (General)	5,982 38	6,453 20	11,503 01	6,747 69	6,439 41
Sidewalks (Betterment)	7,500 00	.....	.....	.....	60 59
Street Lighting	23,979 25	24,556 53	25,101 17	23,253 84	21,537 72
Snow Removal	6,972 88	10,507 88	6,622 57	8,269 11	9,000 00
Park Maintenance	4,185 09	4,197 00	4,240 84	119 10	251 12
Sewer Maintenance	5,088 37	4,720 52	4,842 60	3,781 13	4,817 10
Water Maintenance	41,380 80	40,180 02	43,779 82	35,469 69	*48,915 35
Water Construction	28,768 39	14,892 32	22,619 88	13,330 52	10,073 23
Total	$242,713 39	$218,138 16	$199,717 57	$133,991 46	$142,678 88

*Including $7,000 paid on Long Term Bonds.

Figures for 1933 include $6,124.94 as town contribution on CWA work.

Figures for 1934 include $28,579.05 as town contribution on FERA work.

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF BOND ISSUE, SPECIAL ASSESSMENT PROJECTS AND OTHERS

Classification of Work	Appropriations	Expenditures	Balance	Receipts
Sewer House Connection	$10,000 00	$5,076 46	$4,923 54	$1,397 36
Sewer Construction	16,345 60	29,802 19	6,119 95	12,935 04
Moth Suppression (Private)	1,000 00	204 72	795 28	731 76
Street Betterment	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	13,254 41
Sidewalk Betterment	.....	.....	.....	672 99
Needham Gardens Water Mains	.....	.....	2,582 94	.....
Fairfield Street Water Mains	.....	.....	670 06	.....
Totals	$28,545 60	$36,283 37	$15,091 77	$28,991 56

Conclusion

In closing this report, in an endeavor to convince the citizens that the Public Works affairs are well managed, we wish to state that the Town's Public Works actually can be conducted on a more systematic basis than that which we have attempted this year under sub-normal conditions. The production of more and better work may be accomplished, as evidenced by this year's results, not only in considering our donation to costs of FERA work but also considering the commencement date of the Public Works organization after the first three months of the year had elapsed.

We have adopted a record and accounting system which will provide a regular method of compiling and analyzing work done and which will enable us to organize our work better, prepare sound budgets and aid us in determining whether work performed conforms with work planned.

JURY LIST 1935

Frederick Alexander	Supervisor	75 Hillside Avenue
Arthur W. Atkinson	Accountant	48 Mellen Street
Leonard Thomas Baer	Collector	Laurel Drive
David W. Barrett	Mason	27 Avery Street
Edwin F. Beck	Bookkeeper	679 Webster Street
Arthur H. Birkett	Salesman	23 Gordon Road
Henry D. Blackman	Painter	42 Greenwood Avenue
John G. Bliss	Artist	44 Stevens Road
Allston R. Bowers	Insurance	1080 Great Plain Avenue
Ralph Bowers	Salesman	19 Emerson Road
Burton J. Bowmar	Manager	888 Highland Avenue
George F. Brant	Salesman	35 Gage Street
Paul N. Britt	Clerk	Great Plain Avenue
Everett Brooks	Carpenter	Manning Street Extension
Walter A. Brown	Painter	26 Dedham Avenue
Willis Brownville	Salesman	11 Arden Street
I. Tucker Burr, Jr.	Broker	Chestnut Street
Martin R. Bush	Manager	1245 Great Plain Avenue
Edgar A. Butters	Salesman	85 Marked Tree Road
Paul C. Cabot	Banker	Off Chestnut Street
Irving B. Calhoun	Machinist	39 Norfolk Street
Lawton B. Capron	Clerk	110 Chestnut Street
William S. Cassidy	Foreman	Greendale Avenue
Walter B. Chaffin	Carpenter	Fairview Road
Edgar H. Chandler	Supervisor	Ingleside Road
Kenneth M. Childs	Production Mgr.	Melrose Avenue
A. Elliot Church	Real Estate	11 Newell Avenue
Harold B. Church	Trucking	241 Harris Avenue
John B. Collins	Salesman	High Street
Daniel L. Comiskey	Contractor	68 High Rock Street
Lester O. Cook	Salesman	60 Harris Avenue
William A. Cook	Broker	Dedham Avenue
William G. Courtnay	Buyer	697 Webster Street
Edward E. Croscup, Jr.	Salesman	153 Manning Street
Thomas J. Crossman	Grocer	155 Warren Street
George F. Davis	Executive	54 School Street
Frank P. Davis	Banker	276 West Street
George F. Day	Machinist	96 Marked Tree Road
Charles M. Donahue	Grocer	3 Marshall Street
Fred L. Donahue	Book Seller	37 Kimball Street
Chester Eaton	Undertaker	859 Highland Avenue
Raymond D. Fales	Salesman	22 Lawton Road
Clayton A. Fairbanks	Editor	144 Fair Oaks Park
James Fitzgerald	Chauffeur	140 Nehoiden Street
Frank L. Flood	Civil Engineer	38 Stevens Road
Leon Forand	Electrician	43 School Street
Walter C. E. Gartner	Civil Engineer	115 Fair Oaks Park
Oman Gilroy	Banker	Warren Street
Donald S. Hamilton, Jr.	Clerk	48 Linden Street
Alfred P. Hartshorn	Printer	133 Central Avenue
George H. Hassam	Salesman	895 Great Plain Avenue
Floyd G. Hatch	Salesman	40 Walnut Street
Rolla E. Healey	Retired	45 Henderson Street
Francis C. Hersey	Treasurer	265 Harris Avenue
Freeland L. Huston	Diamond Broker	90 Warren Street
George E. Irving	Inspector	35 Henderson Street
Arthur G. Johnson	Salesman	143 Manning Street
Robert H. Kaymes	Clerk	130 Warren Street

Jack D. Keim	Technician	287 Warren Street
Clifford W. Kilmer	Radio Man	Marked Tree Road
Samuel Kingsbury	Retired	Otis Street
Ray E. Kinne	Druggist	95 Dedham Avenue
T. Wallace Lawlor	Salesman	Lindbergh Avenue
William F. Leach	Manager	791 Webster Street
John H. Leader	Salesman	Beaufort Avenue
Frederick A. Learned	Inspector	50 Manning Street
Paul H. Linscott	Insurance Agent	150 Manning Street
Warren W. Loomis	Purchasing Agent	815 Webster Street
Walter E. Lovering	Draftsman	8 Marked Tree Road
Samuel D. Low	Builder	685 Highland Avenue
R. Douglas Lowden	Tree Surgeon	1230 Great Plain Avenue
Eric W. Malmstrom	Real Estate	May Street
George A. Messenger	Salesman	Hawthorn Avenue
Carleton D. Morse	Investment Broker	548 High Rock Street
Carleton G. McIntosh	Real Estate	Marked Tree Road
Frank A. McIntosh	Ice Dealer	Great Plain Avenue
George W. McIntosh	Salesman	70 May Street
Theodore McIntosh	Proprietor	Great Plain Avenue
Alexander McKay	Clerk	21 Pine Grove Street
Warren M. McLeod	Secretary	19 Linden Street
Walter Mills	Salesman	71 Mayo Avenue
Herbert N. Mitchell	Cashier	1161 Great Plain Avenue
Arthur H. Moore	Inspector	32 Manning Street
John Moseley	Photographer	74 Kingsbury Street
Fred L. Murray	Engineer	South Street
George W. Neale	Clerk	52 Maple Street
Carl E. Nelson	Picture Framer	10 Gordon Road
Paul Nickerson	Civil Engineer	49 Warren Street
George H. Noyes	Florist	6 Marked Tree Road
Lawrence J. Obrey	Dentist	57 Wilshire Park
Nicholas A. O'Brien	Manager	54 Henderson Street
Scott W. Orr	Civil Engineer	48 Coolidge Avenue
Ernest H. Osgood	Banking	South Street
Russell S. Page	Real Estate Agent	683 Great Plain Avenue
Ernest E. Parker	Mechanic	High Rock Street
Howard S. Patton	Salesman	2 Oak Knoll Terrace
Leo R. Peare	Engineer	94 Greendale Avenue
Harold Pierce	Carpenter	Moseley Avenue
William F. Plummer	Druggist	Harris Avenue
Walter K. Queen	Manufacturer	45 Alfreton Road
Allston W. Richardson	Conductor	1133 Great Plain Avenue
Earl Richwagen	Insurance	Rosemary Street
Robert L. Rimmele	Clerk	1169 Central Avenue
Frank W. Rugg	Manager	1167 Great Plain Avenue
James F. Ryan	Carpenter	405 Highland Avenue
Harry C. Ryerson	Salesman	4 Coulton Park
James L. Salamone	Barber	42 Pleasant Street
Thomas A. Salamoney	Manager	Great Plain Avenue
Frank C. Sanders	Superintendent	234 Harris Avenue
Henry W. Shugg, Jr.	Insurance	851 Great Plain Avenue
Frank M. Slack	Clerk	Cleveland Road
Reginald Smith	Chauffeur	21 Lincoln Street
Gillis W. Stark	Machine Operator	25 High Street
Coria E. Stata	Builder	286 Webster Street
Sidney Stewart	Antique Dealer	180 Nehoiden Street
Francis J. Thacker	Superintendent	200 Harris Avenue
F. Ernest Thorpe	Real Estate	18 Dedham Avenue
Roy E. Towne	Manager	270 Central Avenue
George R. Tuck	Electrician	58 Greendale Avenue

H. Howard Upham	Building Inspector	Chestnut Street
Charles S. Voorhees	Salesman	37 Gage Street
Harold R. Waining	Foreman	12 Manson Road
Orville G. Walker	Electrician	11 Lincoln Street
John L. Whittier	Clerk	Lindbergh Avenue
Paul H. Weitze	Salesman	25 Lawton Road
William E. Welsh	Insurance	34 Gayland Road
Joseph P. Williams	Master Plumber	85 Fair Oaks Park
Thomas Willgoose	Machinist	Noyes Street
Fred C. Woodward	Garage Manager	Green Street
Albert E. Wragg	Clerk	49 Chestnut Street
J. Corwin Wright	Bank Clerk	855 Webster Street

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

FOR THE YEAR 1934

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I. PERSONNEL OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

(January 1, 1935)

A. School Committee

Name, Address and Telephone	Term Expires
Arthur S. Hamilton, *Chairman* 42 Maple Street, Needham 1348	1935
Maurice V. Brown 871 Webster Street, Needham 1022-M	1935
Marion G. Hall 23 Kingsbury Street, Needham 1458-M	1936
Edward Seaver 150 Fair Oaks Park, Needham 1359-W	1936
Percy E. Wye 57 Fair Oaks Park, Needham 1356	1937
Roland C. March 6 Manson Road, Needham 1671	1937

B. Staff of General Control

Harry A. Brown, Superintendent of Schools, 62 May Street, Needham 0631.

George B. Jones, Superintendent of School Buildings, Birds Hill Avenue, Needham 1181-M.

Armand J. Mathey, Attendance Officer, 94 Warren Street, Needham 1041-M.

C. Clerical Staff

Edna F. Slaney, Clerk, Senior High School.
Priscilla M. Boyd, Clerk, Junior High School.
Gertrude E. Hamilton, Secretary, Office of Superintendent.
Blanche L. Hamilton, Secretary, Office of Superintendent.

D. Health Staff

Dr. William Mitchell, School Physician.
Dr. C. L. MacGray, School Physician.
Ruth Carlson Smith, School Nurse.

C. School Calendar

C. SCHOOL CALENDAR 1934–1935

1. All Schools

Fall term	September	5 to December	21	16 weeks
Winter term	January	2 to February	15	7 weeks
Spring term	February	25 to April	18	8 weeks
Summer term	April	29 to June	21	8 weeks

2. No School Days

October	12	— Columbus Day.
October	26	— Teachers' Convention.
November	12	— Armistice Day.
November	29	— Thanksgiving Day.
November	30	— Friday after Thanksgiving.
May	30	— Memorial Day.
May	31	— Day after Memorial Day.
June	19	— Bunker Hill Day.

1935-1936

Fall term, September 4 to December 20, 1935.

D. MEETINGS AND OFFICE HOURS

1. Meetings of School Committee

Regular meetings of the School Committee are held on the First Tuesday of each month at 7.45 P.M., in the School Committee room in the Old High School Building on Highland Avenue.

2. Superintendent of Schools

Office: Old High School Building.

Office Hours: 3.30–4.30 P.M. on school days; 9.00–12.00 A.M. on Saturdays by appointment. Other hours by special appointment.

3. Secretary to Superintendent

Office: Old High School Building.

Hours: 8.15 A.M. to 12.00 M., and 1.30 to 5.00 P.M., on school days; 9.00 A.M. to 12.00 M. on Saturdays.

II. STATISTICAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE SCHOOLS

A. Telephone Directory

School or Department	Telephone
School Department	Needham 0010
Superintendent's Residence	Needham 0631
Senior High School	Needham 0903
Principal's Residence	Needham 0671-M
Junior High School	Needham 0791
Principal's Residence	Needham 0491
Stephen Palmer School	Needham 1091
Old High School	Needham 0010
William Carter School	Needham 0611
Harris School	Needham 0833-M
Eliot School	Needham 1263-M
Dwight School	Needham 0787-W
Attendance Officer	Needham 1041-M
School Nurse	Needham 1542-W
School Physician (Dr. Mitchell)	Needham 0100
School Physician (Dr. MacGray)	Needham 0146

B. Some Regulations of the School Committee

1. No School Signal

He (the superintendent) shall have power to authorize the sounding of the no-school signal (22-22-22) on the fire alarm system on days when he deems it inadvisable on account of storms or other unusual conditions to hold sessions of schools. The no-school signal shall be sounded at the following hours:

Sounded at 7.15 indicates Senior High and Junior High Schools closed.

Sounded at 8.00 indicates Elementary Schools closed, morning session.

Sounded at 12.30 indicates Elementary Schools closed, afternoon session.

On the days that the schools are to be closed the information will be broadcast from Station WNAC or such other stations that donate this service.

2. Admission to School

Pupils who are four years and eight months old on or before the twentieth day of September may be admitted to the kindergarten class. Pupils who are five years and eight months of age before the twentieth day of September may be admitted to the first grade without kindergarten training.

III. REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Needham:

This past year your committee has endeavored to harmonize and improve the school system, particularly in the grades and the Junior High School.

In selecting our new Superintendent, special stress was placed on obtaining one whose experience would particularly fit him for the work that we felt was necessary. We believe that in selecting Dr. Harry A. Brown, who for seventeen years has been in charge of teachers' colleges, Needham will receive a two-fold benefit — namely, the services of a good executive and the proper supervision and consequent improvement of the teaching staff under a competent educator.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Newbury is doing excellent work at the Junior High School. He has organized the school so that it is now functioning smoothly, and efficiently.

An innovation in our schools this year is having our buildings and repairs taken care of by a Superintendent of School Buildings. Previously this was handled by the School Superintendent and it is hardly fair to expect in one man the qualifications of an expert educator and at the same time make him responsible for the up-keep and care of $1,250,000.00 worth of buildings and equipment. Mr. Bertram Jones, as Superintendent of School Buildings, now takes this responsibility including supervision of the janitors. He has been successful in at last making the Senior High School weather-proof, which has been an expensive problem of every school committee for the last several years.

We are handing back to the town the old Harris and Parker School buildings with the request that both buildings be demolished and that all material that can be salvaged be used in building a new Riverside School, consisting of two good sized rooms, all of this work to be done, where possible, under the ERA, whose architect designed a new school. We also turn back the title to the Old Harris School lot only, as we believe that it would be wise to hold the land of the old Parker for possible future school purposes. There are indications that in a few years it will be necessary to build a new school to replace the Dwight. This part of the town is being developed and the present school building is fifty-seven years old.

Your Committee feels that considerable progress has been made in the past year and believes that the next few years will show the benefits and improvements towards which we have been working.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR S. HAMILTON, *Chairman,*
EDWARD SEAVER,
ROLAND C. MARCH,
MARION G. HALL,
PERCY E. WYE,
MAURICE V. BROWN,
Needham School Committee.

IV. REPORTS OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND MEMBERS OF THE STAFF

Report of The Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Needham:

I am submitting for your consideration my first annual report as superintendent of schools. This is the forty-second in the series of annual written reports concerning the schools of Needham.

Accompanying my report are reports of the principal of the Junior High School and the principal of the Senior High School. I call your attention to these reports and the recommendations which they contain.

Since I have been in your service only four months, it would be inappropriate for me to make extensive recommendations. I have studied only certain aspects of the school system in these four months. My purpose has been to determine in what ways I can best serve the schools in this town. I think I have discovered a good many of our needs. It would be unwise to proceed far in supervision without this preliminary survey of conditions as a basis for knowing what needs to be done.

Co-operation of Teaching Staff

I have found the teachers, principals, and supervisors most co-operative. The teachers are enthusiastic and earnest concerning their work and they evidence a sincere desire to work in the closest co-operation in whatever we do for the improvement of our school system. Many are interested in further professional study. I recognize in our teaching staff unusual possibilities. So far I have devoted my time chiefly to the elementary schools.

I have begun a series of teachers' meetings in which I have called together small groups of teachers doing similar work for co-operative consideration of their problems. I have presented to the teachers in larger groups some ideas concerning teaching. The smaller groups afford opportunity for free discussion, and enable teachers to raise questions concerning any difficulties which they have experienced. Other teachers and the superintendent then contribute whatever help they are able to give in solving the problems which are thus raised. This makes school improvement a real co-operative enterprise in which the experience and knowledge of all — teachers, principals, supervisors and superintendent — are used in discovering better and better ways to teach children. Such co-operative effort is becoming more and more a characteristic of modern school systems. These meetings are periods of intensive professional study of teaching problems. It is our hope to continue these

co-operative discussions of problems as long as we work together. I believe that we shall accomplish a great deal in this manner and be able to carry forward the work of the Needham schools in a successful way.

The School Budget

I am greatly concerned about our budget. The School Committee and I have spent a large amount of time discussing this budget and determining with great care the amounts which have been requested of the town for the operation of the schools during the coming year. I am concerned about two items in the budget: (a) the salaries of teachers; (b) the amount of money requested for books and supplies. I should like to discuss each of these items separately.

Before the recent reduction in salaries, our salaries in Needham were somewhat lower than salaries in a good many surrounding towns and cities. Some towns and cities in this part of the Commonwealth made smaller reductions than did Needham. A good many towns have restored all or a part of the reduction. I am informed that many other towns will complete the restoration this year. For these reasons, I recommend restoration of a substantial part, if not all, of the reduction in teachers' salaries. I think this restoration should apply to janitors, clerks, the attendance officer, the school physicians and the school nurse. I fear that during the coming year other towns and cities will seek and obtain a large number of our best teachers if we do not make a substantial restoration of salaries. In making this recommendation I am thinking of the interests of the children of Needham. If our best teachers are taken away, the children of surrounding towns and cities inevitably will receive better instruction than we can give to our children. I believe, therefore, that to restore salaries at this time is of paramount importance to the welfare of the children of the town of Needham.

It has been necessary during the last few years to economize in school supplies and equipment in order to meet the financial conditions which have prevailed. Five years ago Needham spent the sum of $13,260.81 in one year for textbooks and supplies. During the past year the amount spent for the same purpose was $6,867.82. Our schools are now suffering severely on account of the lack of sufficient books and supplies for the use of the pupils in the schools. It seems to me to be very desirable to ask the town to appropriate considerably more this year for books and supplies.

Other items in the school budget have been held to the lowest possible figure. The budget as presented on a later page is a very conservative one. It provides no funds for many important needs of the schools. It asks for an increase of a little over nine per cent in school expenditures. All items except the

two in which increases have been especially recommended have been kept as near the amount of this year's expenditures as seems prudent. I believe that on any smaller amounts the school system cannot be operated with as great a degree of effectiveness as the people of the town desire.

I think that a number of additional teachers are required. Two or three are needed at the Stephen Palmer School and at least two or three each at the Junior High School and the Senior High School. It would be very desirable to establish a special opportunity room at the Stephen Palmer School. I am recommending, however, the addition of only one teacher at the Stephen Palmer School, one at the Junior High School and one at the Senior High School. I believe that a conservative policy is justified this year in making additions to the staff. I hope that the Budget for 1935, as adopted by the School Committee, will be approved by the Town without reduction.

Reports of Members of the Staff

At this point before concluding with the recommendations which I should like to make, I call attention to the reports of the principal of the Senior High School and the principal of the Junior High School. These follow under the appropriate headings:

NEEDHAM SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

WILLIAM F. POLLARD, *Principal*

The Class of 1934

On Friday evening, June 22, 1934, one hundred and nineteen young people received their Senior High School diplomas. The graduating exercises, from beginning to end, were of a high order. The attention of the audience was called to the splendid attendance records of the following members of the class: Dorothy Acheson, neither absent nor tardy for four years; Robert Gage and Margery Green, three years; Henry Eaton, Marion Pollard, and Idea Ricciardelli, one year.

The class gift to the school took the form of two beautiful framed pictures, namely, "The Constitution," and "The Appeal to the Great Spirit."

College Preparation

Members of the class who took college entrance examinations were very successful in their efforts. Graduates entered the following colleges in September, 1934: Boston University, Bowdoin, Dartmouth, Harvard, Mt. Holyoke, Norwich and Rutgers. The above statement is offered as evidence of the fact that our graduates still enter college directly from high school.

Reports sent to us during the last year by colleges in which our graduates were enrolled, show that one led his class in scholarship at Dartmouth, and that others were outstanding in their scholastic work in the following institutions: Brown University, The Carnegie Institute of Technology, The Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Radcliffe, The Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Wellesley, and Yale. The same reports, and additional ones, informed us that graduates of our school were playing leading parts in the extra-curricula activities of the following colleges: Bates, Boston University, Bowdoin, Brown, Colby, Connecticut, Dartmouth, University of Maine, Massachusetts State, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Northeastern University, Norwich, Ohio, Simmons, University of Vermont, Wheaton and Wellesley. Further comment on this subject, I believe, is unnecessary. The above facts tell their own story.

Guidance

During the school year, as in previous years, the pupils have received both educational and vocational guidance from able representatives of educational institutions of higher learning, and of professions. To be sure, we have merely scratched the surface of this important phase of secondary school work, but it is practically all that can be done at the present time with the means at our disposal. We have considerable material and information in our files relative to colleges and vocations which is always at the disposal of those who desire to use it. Parents, in particular, are cordially invited to avail themselves of the opportunity to use this valuable information.

Morning Assemblies

The Monday morning assembly has become a very important educational feature of our school work. Excellent programs have been provided for this school exercise by the principal and each home room respectively.

Revision of Program of Studies

As soon as economic conditions permit it our program of studies should be revised, not only for the benefit of our college preparatory pupils, but also for those who for one reason or another, cannot go to higher institutions of learning. This can be done without a great deal of additional expense by making possible, in addition to our present offerings, different types of work in the Manual Training, Home Economics and Commercial Departments, repectively, and by increasing the scopes of the work in the field of social science. Such a revision would be in line with the thought expressed by President Roosevelt

in his speech of December 10, when he said, "We have come to a time when our need is to discover more fully and to direct more purposefully into useful channels that greatest of all natural resources, the genius of the younger generation."

Text-Books

Aside from a few exceptions, our text books have been quite presentable. I am sorry to say, however, that due to lack of funds, it is impossible to supply a number of the newcomers with books. This, as you realize, does not advertise the Town to advantage in the eyes of new residents and is likely to injure the reputation of the school and of the community. I sincerely hope that a similar condition will not exist next year.

Secondary School Tercentenary

The year 1935 brings to a close three hundred years of secondary education in our country. It had its beginning in the Boston Latin School fifteen years after the landing of the Pilgrims and since that time has grown from a handful of students to over 6,000. Since progress in practically all directions has been influenced to a considerable degree by the work of the secondary school, it is only fitting and proper that the 300th anniversary of its birth should be called to the attention of the citizens. It is our purpose to observe this important anniversary in an appropriate manner before school closes in June, 1935.

As principal of the school I have a number of things for which I am truly thankful. One of them is a loyal, co-operative student body. The splendid manner in which it conducted itself during trying times in educational circles, at home and abroad, will ever be to its credit. Another, is an efficient, conscientious faculty. Individually and collectively, they have given unsparingly of their time and energy in the interests of the young people who have come under their jurisdiction. Needham is indeed fortunate to have such an able body of teachers in its Senior High School.

NEEDHAM JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

ROBERT J. NEWBURY, *Principal*

Assemblies

An assembly is held every Wednesday morning. A program is presented under the direction of each teacher. During the year special speakers are invited to our school to talk on selected subjects. Rev. Harry H. Hall gave us a splendid

talk on "Football and What It Means to Character." Lieutenant-Colonel Carroll J. Swan, at our Armistice Day assembly, spoke to us on "War Pictures That Teach a Lesson."

Home Room Period

The home room period is used by the teacher for individual conferences with pupils in order to help the students to adapt themselves to the school. During this period the teachers advise pupils as to how they may form proper study habits. This period, under the direction of a well-trained teacher, can contribute toward the improvement of the citizenship and scholarship of the school. After each marking period the home room teacher receives a list of her pupils who are failing. Then she concentrates upon these pupils in order to find the causes for these failures, and endeavors to reduce them insofar as possible.

Home Work and Make Up Work

The seventh grade is not required to do any home work, provided the work assigned is accomplished during school time. Considerable effort is made in this grade to establish the basis for good study habits. We require the eighth grade to study one hour outside of school each day. A ninth grade pupil should study two hours daily outside of school. I cannot emphasize too strongly the need of a quiet, well-lighted, comfortable place for each pupil's use when he is studying.

All of our teachers stay after school until four o'clock at least one day a week for make up work. Pupils who have been absent or pupils who are failing in their school work, may go to their subject teachers for make up work or additional help on assigned days. A printed schedule of these days is posted in all rooms at the beginning of the year.

Enriching the Curriculum

There are a number of pupils attending the junior high school who cannot do the standard work of the grade. This is due largely to the fact that the type of pupil who would ordinarily leave school and go to work cannot find means of employment. This leaves an increasing number of pupils in the junior high school who continue to come to school because it is the only thing they can do. Many of these pupils fail because they are not capable of reading material required by the grade. If the school must take care of the slow pupil, our curriculum should be adapted to his needs. He should be given work which he can do with reasonable success. As it now stands we do offer limited opportunities in manual training, sewing, and cooking. To cope with this problem it would be necessary to enrich the curriculum to include sheet metal and

general shop work, printing, and home nursing. Such a procedure would require new teachers, more room, and additional equipment. I feel that we must eventually come to this if we are to offer our pupils an education as good as other towns of our type are giving.

Athletics

A Student Activities Association was organized this year to support interscholastic athletics. Football, soccer, and field hockey were played in the fall. I should like to see a well-organized intra-mural system of athletics in grades seven and eight, leading gradually to interscholastic athletics in the ninth grade.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

These are my recommendations:

First. I recommend for the major portion of my own effort a continuation of professional work with the teaching staff directed toward the greatest possible improvement in teaching in the various classrooms throughout the school system. I look upon this as a joint enterprise in which we shall all work together co-operatively.

Second. I recommend that supervisors, principals and teachers join with me in preliminary and co-operative consideration of some revision of the curriculum throughout the school system, as a basis for recommendations to the School Committee one year later, after a thorough study of the problem has been made. An enriched curriculum in the elementary schools as well as in the Junior and the Senior High Schools is greatly needed.

Third. I recommend restoration at the earliest possible date of all or a substantial part of the recent reduction in salaries.

Fourth. I recommend appropriation of somewhat larger amounts for text-books and school supplies.

Fifth. I recommend all essential economy in school expenditures, and a conservative policy in all the budget requests in order that adequate funds may be provided for teachers' salaries and for text-books and supplies, without an excessive increase in the total of the school appropriation. I believe that economy which does not impair essential services is justified. I am convinced that appropriation of any smaller amounts

than are contained in the Budget for 1935, presented at a later point in this report, would impair essential services in the schools.

The personnel of the school department includes the following:

Department	Supervisors Principals and Teachers	Pupils
Elementary Schools	50	1,482
Junior High School	22	572
Senior High School	20	509
	92	2,563

Conclusion

I wish to record my sincere appreciation of the co-operation of all teachers, supervisors and principals who have done everything in their power to aid me in my work as superintendent of schools. I am deeply appreciative of the splendid support given me by all members of the School Committee during the past four months. The splendid spirit existing throughout the school department seems to me to offer conditions most favorable to productive work during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY A. BROWN,

December 31, 1934 *Superintendent of Schools.*

ORGANIZATION
December 31, 1934

SCHOOL	TEACHERS	GRADE	Service Began	EDUCATED	Years Experience Previous to Sept., 1934
Senior High	William F. Pollard, Prin.	X–XII	1927	Middlebury–Harvard Univ	21
	Fred L. Frost		1919	Lebanon–Columbia–Harvard Univ.	20
	Charles E. Benton		1926	Harvard–Northeastern–Boston Univ.	10
	Asa M. Small		1927	Bowdoin–Northeastern–Boston Univ.	9
	Alfred H. Johnson		1923	Sloyd Training–Boston Univ.*	12
	Mary W. Matheson		1924	Bridgewater–Boston Univ.	20
	Leita L. Sawyer		1924	Boston Univ.–Boston Univ.*	16
	Eva H. Churchill		1920	Emerson–Boston Univ.†	19
	Annie M. Currie		1920	Tufts–Boston Univ.*–Harvard*	21
	Florence E. Durgin		1922	Plymouth–Boston Univ.–Univ. of California*	17
	Alice C. Gates		1924	Fitchburg Normal–Boston Univ.	18
	Anna P. Fessenden		1926	Smith College–Univ. of Minnesota	16
	Ruth C. Harrington		1926	Boston Univ.–Harvard*–Middlebury	18
	Margaret Rowe		1929	Boston School Physical Education	8
	Gertrude Lewis		1929	Simmons College–Boston Univ.	12½
	Ruth P. Appel		1931	Brown Univ.–Northwestern Univ.	9½
	Alice C. Erickson		1933	Framingham Teachers' College	2
	Catherine E. Dodge		1925	Univ. N. H.–Boston Univ.–Cornell*	10
	Bertha E. Pugsley		1930	Bridgewater Normal–Wesleyan†–Yale Univ.* Boston Univ.	7½
Junior High	Robert J. Newbury, Prin.	VII–IX	1918	Emerson College	20
	Esther Nickerson		1927	Hyannis Normal	23
	Nellie T. O'Brien		1916	Framingham Normal	24
	Edith R. Hatch		1923	Fitchburg–Hyannis Normal*	13
	Sylvia A. Collins		1925	Farmington Normal–Plymouth*–Keene*	24
	Gladys M. Russell		1925	Potsdam–Cliff Haven*–Hyannis*–Columbia*–Boston Univ.†	15
	Helene A. Goehring		1928	Fitchburg Normal–Hyannis*–Boston Univ.†	8
	Louise L. Steele		1926	Colby–Harvard Univ.	11
	Margaret A. Guthrie		1931	New York Univ.–Columbia†–Harvard*	21

Junior High	E. Isabel MacKinnon	VII–IX	1934	Bouve–Boston School of Physical Education	2
	John E. Nelson		1932	Williams College	4
	Virginia Smith		1930	Boston University	5
	Mary E. Dugan		1930	Fitchburg Normal–Boston Univ.†–Clark Univ.† Hyannis Normal*	8
	Jerome C. Sisson		1928	Clarkson Tech.–Harvard–Boston Univ.*†	7
	Milton C. Blanchard		1930	Wentworth Institute–Boston Univ.†	5
	Grace M. Harris		1931	Farmington Normal–Boston Univ.	6
	Marie C. Folcarelli		1930	Mass. School of Art	7
	Elizabeth J. Gilchrest		1932	Fitchburg Normal	3
	Ruth W. Bjork		1931	Framingham Normal	4
	R. Ashley Holt		1932	Springfield College	5
	Doris Titcomb		1931	Amer. Inst. Normal Methods–N. E. Conservatory of Music	13
Old High	Gladys I. Gilbert Prin.	VI	1925	Western State Normal–Boston Univ.†	16
	Mary E. Kett		1928	Hyannis Normal–Boston Univ.†	8
	Alice E. Chase		1926	Framingham Normal–Boston Univ.†	11
	Gladys A. Howarth		1929	Framingham Normal–Boston Univ.†	7
William Carter	Benjamin J. Hill, Prin.		1934	State Teachers College–Boston Univ.* Columbia*	4
	Ruth G. Chisholm	VI	1925	Keene Normal–Boston Univ.†	12
	Elizabeth L. Blanchard	VI	1933	Salem Teachers' College	2
	Dorothy E. Sanborn	V	1931	Worcester Normal	4
	Grace E. Arnold	V	1931	Salem Teachers' College	5
	Gertrude Devine	IV	1931	Salem Teachers' College	4
	Gladys V. Spear	IV, III	1934	Framingham Teachers' College	6
	Alice E. Hannon	III	1934	Lowell Normal	4
	Lois E. Baker	II	1931	Westfield Normal	7
	Margaret E. Richardson	Special	1934	Salem Teachers' College	1
Avery	Ruth M. Thomas	II	1933	Framingham Teachers' College	5
	Harriette N. Boyd	I	1903	Newburyport–Harvard Univ.†	38
	Clara A. Dray	I	1925	Perry–Boston Univ.–Hyannis*	9
	Cynthia M. Gregory	K	1934	Wheelock–R. I. College of Education	7
S. Palmer	Florence E. Eaton, Prin.		1889	Hyannis*–Harvard*	45
	Bertha I. Johnson	V	1918	Castleton (Vt.) Normal	23
	Laura E. Miller	V	1930	Pittsburg Normal	12
	Margaret M. Wilcock	V	1930	No. Adams Normal–Bridgewater–Boston Univ.*	5
	Wilma F. Mayo	IV	1927	Castine (Me.) Normal–Boston Univ.	15

*Summer Courses. †Partial Courses.

ORGANIZATION — *Continued*

SCHOOL	TEACHERS	GRADE	Service Began	EDUCATED	Years Experience Previous to Sept., 1934
S. Palmer	Esther H. Cornish	IV	1930	Bridgewater Teachers' College	6
	Gladys Johnson	III	1924	Edinboro–Normal–Teachers' College†	11
	Edith A. Chase	III	1931	Framingham Normal	5
	Grace U. Barlow	III	1931	Westfield Normal	5
	Madolin F. Wilcox	II	1919	Farmington (Me.)–Hyannis*–Boston Univ.*	16
	Mabel E. Jacobs	II	1919	Wheelock–Worcester Normal†	19
	Jane B. Doughty	II	1919	Bridgewater–Hyannis*–Boston Univ.*	16
	Edith B. Smith	I	1930	Bridgewater Normal–Boston Univ.†	5
	Florence E. Baker	I	1929	Westfield Normal	6
	Virginia M. Cameron	I	1931	North Adams and Framingham Normals	5
	Alice M. McDougald	K	1916	Fisher–Boston Univ.*	23
	Jean E. Lamson	K	1930	Wheelock	6
Harris	Rebecca H. Perry, Prin.	V	1924	Washington State Normal–Boston Univ.†	11
	Naomi Sturdy	III	1930	Mansfield State Teachers' College–Boston Univ.†	6
	Anne S. Cornish	IV	1928	Bridgewater Teachers' College	7
	Ruth E. Jacobs	II	1930	Hyannis Normal–Boston Univ.†	6
	Helen C. Kelly	I, II	1930	Framingham Normal–Boston Univ.†	5
	Louise H. Wing	I	1930	Bridgewater Normal	5
	Elsie M. Hinkley	K	1918	Framingham–M. A. C.*–Page Memorial*	21
Eliot	Alice H. Eberhardt, Prin.	V	1899	Hyannis Normal	38
	Ann E. Fawcett	III, IV	1919	Hyannis Normal–Mass. Normal Art	18
	Lillian Prescott	II, III	1921	Gorham (Me.) Normal	16
	Margaret T. Winters	K, I	1926	Wheelock	9
Dwight	Alma A. Doliva, Prin.	III, IV, V	1934	State Teachers' College Albany, N. Y.	5
	M. Helen Fox	I, II	1921	Wheelock	13½
Riverside	Edith M. McCann	K, I, II	1908	Boston University	26
Supervisors	Ellen H. Bartlett	Music	1904	Special Music Schools–Boston Univ.†	41
	Amy M. Gibbs	Drawing	1928	Mass. School Art–Chicago Art Inst.*Snell Art School*–Boothbay Studios*	13
	Philip H. Claxton	Phys. Educ.	1929	Springfield–E. Stroudsburg State Teachers' College–Boston Univ.†	9

*Summer Courses. †Partial Courses.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Actual Expenditures 1934	Recommended Budget for 1935
General Control		
Salaries		
Superintendent of schools, superintendent of buildings, clerks, attendance officer	$6,797.29	$8,196.74
Supplies, printing and travel	400.00	400.00
	$7,197 29	$8,596 74
Expenses of Instruction		
Salaries		
Supervisors	6,080.00	6,272.00
Principals (and clerks)	11,818.50	12,021.80
Teachers, Senior High School	30,040.50	31,393.00
Teachers, Junior High School	30,197.39	31,922.50
Teachers, Elementary Schools	60,660.36	65,652.00
Substitutes	1,607.70	2,045.00
Bonus for Professional Study		500.00
Emergency Salary Increases (.4 x 1250)		500 00
Additional Teachers (.4 x 4000)		1,600.00
	$140,404.45	$151,906.30
Text-books	2,876.77	5,000.00
Supplies	3,991.05	5,000.00
	$6,867.82	$10,000.00
Expenses of Operating School Plant		
Janitors' Salaries	15,700.95	17,703.63
Fuel	8,010.56	9,000.00
Miscellaneous, including water, electricity, telephone and supplies	5,355.23	5,725.00
Use of buildings by outside organizations	419.14	500.00
	$29,485.88	$32,928.63
Maintenance		
Repairs	7,939.40	6,300.00
	$7,939.40	$6,300.00

Auxiliary Agencies		
Libraries	$141.50	$100.00
Health, including salaries, travel and supplies	2,450.15	2,558.50
Transportation	6,010.18	6,500.00
	$8,601.83	$9,158.50
Miscellaneous Expenses		
Tuition	245.68	275.00
Sundry Expenses, including insurance, removal of ashes, commencement expenses	890.15	725.00
	$1,135.83	$1,000.00
Outlays		
New Grounds	31.00	200.00
New Equipment	42.00	500.00
Outstanding bills on December 31, 1934	465.36	
Total Expenditures	$202,170.86	$220,590.17

In the foregoing financial statement the second column is the budget which the School Committee adopted on December 18, 1934, for the support of schools during the year 1935.

TOWN OF NEEDHAM

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TREASURER, COLLECTOR

AND

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

FOR THE YEAR 1934

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TREASURER'S REPORT

CHARLES E. STANWOOD, *Treasurer*,
In account with TOWN OF NEEDHAM,
January 1, 1934, to December 31, 1934.

SUMMARY

Receipts:

Cash on hand January 1, 1934	$128,622 79
Refund on account of Public Welfare	16,994 57
Refund on account of Mother's Aid	3,285 89
Refund on account of Old Age Assistance	5,424 08
Refund on account of Soldiers' Relief	34 00
Refund on account of Military Aid	100 00
Refund on account of State Aid	20 00
Refund on account of Board of Health	772 64
Refund on account of School Dept.	2,011 33
Refund on account of Highway Dept.	28 82
Refund on account of Insurance Dept.	155 38
Refund on account of Police Dept.	250 00
Refund on account of Fire Dept.	19 00
Fefund on account of Gypsy Moth	31 55
Refund on account of Foreclosure proceedings	11 00
Refund on account of Treasury Dept.	3 25
Refund on account of Public Works	20 00
Personal Tax of 1932	667 89
Personal Tax of 1933	6,696 75
Personal Tax of 1934	37,404 75
Real Estate Tax of 1932	9,578 48
Real Estate Tax of 1933	273,655 20
Real Estate Tax of 1934	343,073 50
Moth Tax of 1933	284 09
Moth Tax of 1934	447 67
Interest on Tax of 1932	1,240 44
Interest on Tax of 1933	13,173 20
Interest on Tax of 1934	536 44
Sidewalk Tax of 1932	46 45
Sidewalk Tax of 1933	265 44
Sidewalk Tax of 1934	230 46
Interest on Sidewalk Tax of 1932	4 18
Interest on Sidewalk Tax of 1933	50 89
Interest on Sidewalk Tax of 1934	47 97
Street Tax of 1932	75 85
Steeet Tax of 1933	3,916 68
Street Tax of 1934	4,941 00

Interest on Street Tax of 1932	$24 04
Interest on Street Tax of 1933	1,165 25
Interest on Street Tax of 1934	1,435 13
Sewer Tax of 1932	81 63
Sewer Tax of 1933	3,289 15
Sewer Tax of 1934	4,287 28
Interest on Sewer Tax of 1932	25 58
Interest on Sewer Tax of 1933	1,074 63
Interest on Sewer Tax of 1934	1,483 78
Old Age Assistance Tax of 1933	45 00
Poll Tax of 1934	6,824 00
Poll Tax of 1933	92 00
Excise Tax of 1933	4,304 77
Excise Tax of 1934	20,504 46
Costs on Tax of 1933	942 35
Costs on Tax of 1934	666 90
Sewer Assessment 1933	121 03
Sewer Assessment Interest 1933	3 12
Sewer Assessment 1934	354 65
Sewer House Connections 1934	1,279 34
Sewer House Connection Interest 1934	11 08
Abatement of Old Age Assistance	47 00
Special Warrants 1934:	
Sewer Assessment	2,109 15
Sewer Interest	18 21
Street Assessment	1,632 23
Street Interest	35 98
Tax Certificates	137 00
1934 Taxes on lands for water purposes	1,301 81
Babson Park — Adjustment Tax	17 69
Greenwood Fund Income	369 41
Martha Ann Barr Fund Income	13 75
Dwight School Fund Income	270 00
Sewer Reserve Fund Interest	167 41
Interest on Certificates of Deposit	167 12
School Tuition	213 92
Vocational and Industrial Tuition	1,320 73
Tax Anticipation Notes 1934	564,000 00
Tax Anticipation Notes 1933 Renewals	150,000 00
Rental Junior High School Gym	132 50
Rental Town Hall	750 00
Jail and House of Correction Fines	459 00
Library Fines	245 47
Dog Licenses — 1933 Refund	1,761 48
Dog Licenses — 1934 Collections	2,312 00
Inspection Fees 1934	2,288 24
License Fees 1934	638 25
Board of Survey	10 00
Dedham Avenue Construction	749 47

FERA Funds	$8,440 86
Tailings	3 20
Water Liens	2,177 58
Interest on Water Liens	26 77
Redemption of Tax Titles	43,726 81
Interest and costs on Tax Titles	3,607 29
Sale of Tax Title Property	62 00
Hospital Collections transferred	6,471 19
Transfer Hospital balance 1933	3,247 70
Sale of Maps	9 00
Sale of Poll Lists	7 00
Sale of Town Reports	9 50
Sewer Guarantee Deposits	115 00
Sewer Maintenance	2 00
Water Tax	55,307 25
Water Repairs	1,177 04
Water Department	956 68
Water Demands	198 20
Water Miscellaneous	120 50
Income Tax	35,426 70
Income Tax — Educational Measure	9,750 00
Corporation Tax — Business 1934	12,018 32
Corporation Tax — Gas-Electric Light 1934	2,127 32
Corporation Tax — R.R.—Tel. & Tel. 1934	909 19
Corporation Tax — Certain Public Service Corps	23 48
National Bank Tax 1930	19 59
National Bank Tax 1931	115 56
National Bank Tax 1932	122 22
National Bank Tax 1933	61 06
National Bank Tax of 1934	521 08
Trust Company Tax of 1932	37 74
Trust Company Tax of 1934	462 64
Veterans' Exemption	41 03
	$1,820,606 12

Disbursements:

Matured Bonds:	
Senior High School 1929	$26,000 00
Refunding Loan 4%	8,000 00
Water Loan	7,000 00
Public Library Loan	500 00
Elementary School — Greendale	4,000 00
School Loan, 1930 — Palmer	5,000 00
Fire and Police Station	6,000 00
William Carter School	8,000 00
New High School — 1923	14,000 00
Sewerage Loan 1924	5,000 00

New Primary School — Palmer	$2,000 00
5% Water Loan Notes	4,000 00
5% Sewer Loan Notes	5,000 00
4% Sewer Loan Notes — 1930	5,000 00
Sewer Loan Notes — 1931	3,000 00
Interest on:	
Senior High School 1929	14,760 00
Refunding Loan 4%	2,440 00
Water Loan	1,400 00
Public Library	20 00
Elementary School — Greendale	2,167 50
School Loan 1930 — Palmer	2,000 00
Fire and Police Station	2,880 00
William Carter School	3,000 00
New High School — 1923	5,652 50
Sewerage Loan 1924	4,300 00
New Primary School — Palmer	40 00
5% Water Loan Notes	100 00
5% Sewer Loan Notes 1929	125 00
4% Sewer Loan Notes — 1930	300 00
Sewer Loan Notes — 1931	787 50
Tax Anticipation Notes 1933	450,000 00
Tax Anticipation Notes 1934	414,000 00
Interest on Tax Notes	8,525 47
Certification of Tax Notes	74 00
County Tax 1934	16,960 58
Norfolk County Hospital 1934	4,926 81
Damage Award — DeLue Adjustment	3,867 63
Hospital Appropriation 1934	18,000 00
State Tax 1934	32,300 00
Charles River Basin	2,019 07
Metropolitan Parks — Sinking Fund	7,495 37
Metropolitan Planning Division	104 52
Metropolitan Parks—Sinking Fund Series 2	2,986 34
Metropolitan Parks — Nantasket	532 49
Wellington Bridge	29 84
Metropolitan Sewerage South System	19,445 42
Abatement of Smoke Nuisance	123 55
Auditing Municipal Accounts	1,474 87
Canterbury Street Highway	47 17
Land Takings Revere	484 27
Ocean Avenue Revere	187 49
Ways in Malden, Braintree, Weymouth and Hingham	2 36
West Roxbury-Brookline Parkway	64 90
Land taking on the Route 128	12,135 00
National Bank Tax 1933	147 12
National Bank Tax 1931	61

Exchange Trust Co. 1932		$2 50
Trust Company Tax 1930		7 92
Trust Company Tax 1931		10 88
Auditor's Warrants		591,351 46
Balance Dec. 31, 1934, in Banks	$90,775 98	
Office Cash	50 00	
		90,825 98
		$1,820,606 12

BOND RECORD

January 1, 1935

	Outstanding	1935 Payments
Senior High School Loan (1929)		
4%	$246,000 00	
4% Bonds (Act of 1929—Chap. 191)	110,000 00*	
Interest due Jan. 15, 1935		$7,120 00
Maturing Bonds Jan. 15, 1935		26,000 00
Interest due July 15, 1935		6,600 00
Refunding Loan 4%	53,000 00	
Interest due March 1, 1935		1,060 00
Maturing Bonds Sept. 1, 1935		8,000 00
Interest due Sept. 1, 1935		1,060 00
Water Loan 4% (Original)	28,000 00*	
Interest due March 1, 1935		560 00
Maturing Bonds Sept. 1, 1935		7,000 00
Interest due Sept. 1, 1935		560 00
Elementary School Loan 1930 4¼% (Greendale)	49,000 00	
Interest due March 1, 1935		1,041 25
Maturing Bonds March 1, 1935		4,000 00
Interest due Sept. 1, 1935		956 25
4% School Loan Act 1930 (Palmer School Addition)	45,000 00*	
Interest due Mar. 1, 1935		900 00
Maturing Bonds Sept. 1, 1935		5,000 00
Interest due Sept. 1, 1935		900 00
4% Fire and Police Station Act of 1930	66,000 00*	
Interest due March 1, 1935		1,320 00
Maturing Bonds Sept. 1, 1935		6,000 00
Interest due Sept. 1, 1935		1,320 00
5% School Building Loan (Wm. Carter)	14,000 00	

	Outstanding	1935 Payments
5% Bonds — Special Act 1921 ..	$42,000 00*	
Interest due April 1, 1935		$1,400 00
Maturing Bonds April 1, 1935		8,000 00
Interest due Oct. 1, 1935		1,200 00
New High School Loan 4½% (Acts 1923 — Chap. 173) ..	126,000 00*	
Interest due April 1, 1935		2,677 50
Maturing Bonds April 1, 1935		14,000 00
Interest due Oct. 1, 1935		2,380 00
Sewerage Loan Notes 3½% (1931)	21,000 00	
Interest due June 1, 1935		367 50
Maturing Notes June 1, 1935		3,000 00
Interest due Dec. 1, 1935 ...		315 00
4% Sewerage Loan Act of 1924 .	105,000 00*	
Interest due June 15, 1935 ...		2,100 00
Maturing Bonds June 15, 1935		5,000 00
Interest due Dec. 15, 1935....		2,000 00
4% Sewer Loan Notes (1930) ..	5,000 00	
Interest due July 1, 1935		100 00
Maturing Notes July 1, 1935 .		5,000 00

Summary

Bonds Outstanding:		
*Outside Debt Limit	$522,000 00	
Inside Debt Limit	388,000 00	
		$910,000 00
Bonds Maturing in 1935 — payments from taxation		83,000 00
Interest payments in 1935 from taxation.....		34,035 00
Interest payments in 1935 — from Water Dept.		1,120 00
Coupon Notes maturing in 1935 — payments from Sewer Department		8,000 00
Interest payments in 1935 — payments from Sewer Department		782 50

DWIGHT SCHOOL FUND

1934

Jan. 1 Original Fund $6,000 00

Income 1932–1934 inclusive has been deposited in General Cash for the benefit of the School Department. The School Department have expended all income received prior to Dec. 31, 1934, and therefore have no income available for 1935 from this fund.

Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham at 6%.

MARY VIRGINIA HILL FUND

1934				
Jan. 1	Original Fund			$500 00
	Income 1916–1933		$501 46	
	Income 1934		27 68	
				529 14
Dec. 31	Balance in Savings Department Needham Trust Company			$1,029 14

GREENWOOD FUND

1934		
Jan. 1	Original Fund	$12,482 11
	Income 1917–1933 inclusive has been deposited in General Cash for the benefit of the Public Library. $369.41 received in 1934 will be available for expenses in 1935.	
	Original Fund on deposit in banks, viz:	
	The Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	$1,837 82
	Suffolk Savings Bank	1,833 32
	Natick Five Cents Savings Bank	1,355 03
	Newton Savings Bank	1,040 40
	Home Savings Bank	1,191 76
	West Newton Savings Bank	1,086 86
	Dedham Institution for Savings	1,085 81
	The Provident Institution for Savings	1,551 11
	Needham Trust Co. Savings Dept.	1,500 00

MARTHA ANN BARR FUND

1934			
Jan. 1	Original Fund (Needham Trust Company — Savings Department)		$500 00
	Income 1920–1933 inc.	$267 08	
	Income 1934	13 75	
	Income 1920–1933 inclusive has been deposited in General Cash for the benefit of the Public Library. $13.75 received in 1934 will be available for expenses in 1935.		

GEORGE E. WYE FUND

1934				
Jan. 1	Original Fund			$9,023 43
	Income 1930–1933 inc.	$1,295 89		
	Income 1934	285 59		
				1,581 48
Dec. 31	Balance in Savings Department Needham Trust Company			$10,604 91

WILLIAM G. MOSELEY, SCHOLARSHIP FUND

1934			
Jan. 1	Original Bequest April 17, 1933	$3,000 00	
	Additional Bequest 1934.	1,000 00	
			$4,000 00
	Income 1933	$112 87	
	Income 1934	152 71	
		$265 58	
	Scholarship Award 1934	200 00	
		$65 58	
	Payment on account of mortgage	100 00	
Dec. 31	Balance in Savings Department Needham National Bank	$165 58	
	Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham at 6%.		

NEEDHAM CEMETERY ASSOCIATION FUND

1934			
Jan. 1	Original Fund		$1,000 00
	Income 1933	$12 50	
	Income 1934	45 65	
Dec. 31	Balance in Savings Department Needham National Bank	$58 15	
	and will be paid to the Needham Cemetery Association for care of G.A.R. Lot		
	Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham at 6%.		

GLOVER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Summary

Receipts:

1934		
Jan. 1	General Fund — Balance December 31, 1933	$3,247 70
	Hospital Collections	12,214 59
	Miscellaneous	25 80
	General Fund — Appropriation 1934	18,000 00
	Donation	10 00
		$33,498 09

Disbursements:

Total Auditor's Warrants	$18,454 40
Transfer of unexpended balance December 31, 1933	3,247 70
General Fund — on account of 1934 collections	6,471 19
Commission — Collection Agency	146 78
Cash on hand December 31, 1934	5,178 02
	$33,498 09

Note: This account is separated from General Cash only for the purpose of convenience.

Any balance is a part of General Cash and can be so used.

The Hospital Collections for the year 1934 are made up as follows:

Payment for services in year 1929		$4 00
Payment for services in year 1930		15 00
Payment for services in year 1931		86 43
Payment for services in year 1932		395 00
Payment for services in year 1933		2,110 13
Payment for services in year 1934		9,604 03
Total Collections		$12,214 59
Services at Hospital for 1934	$14,767 73	
1934 Payments	9,604 03	
Uncollected Balance	$5,163 70	

The Glover Memorial Hospital Trust Funds

NEEDHAM NATIONAL BANK Savings Department	Original Fund	Unexpended Income to Dec. 31, 1934	Balance Dec. 31, 1934
Wm. Carter Co., Fund	$5,000 00	$3,649 34	$8,649 34
Horace A. Carter Fund	1,000 00	217 57	1,217 57
Thomas Sutton Fund	1,000 00	147 07	1,147 07
Seth A. Fowle Fund	2,018 99	298 95	2,317 94
Adeline E. Harris Fund	103 41	14 71	118 12
Elizabeth Fisher Fund	102 14	14 46	116 60
Wm. Wentworth Fund	51 71	7 29	59 00
Lucy N. Cutter Fund	2,500 00	360 55	2,860 55
Original Bequest — Glover Fund	2,400 00	345 45	2,745 45
Building Fund	.....	.....	8,094 97
Mary E. Moseley Bed Fund.			
Original Bequest	3,000 00	.....	.....
Additional Bequest 1934	1,000 00	261 68	261 68
Fund invested in First Mortgages on Real Estate in Needham			
NEEDHAM TRUST COMPANY Savings Department			
Lyons Fund	5,000 00	1,186 97	6,186 97
Building Fund	.....	.....	11,434 77

SHOWING DEBIT LIMIT

January 1, 1935

Assessors' valuation less abatement of assessments to December 31, 1934, and includes Motor Vehicle valuations. (See notation below.)

For year 1932	$24,148,359 00
For year 1933	24,152,431 00
For year 1934	24,267,185 00
Gross net valuation three years	$72,567,975 00
Average valuation	24,189,325 00
Three per cent equals	$725,679 00

Total debts of all kinds incurred and outstanding	$910,000 00
Debts authorized but not yet issued	None
	$910,000 00

Less Debts outside Debt Limit as follows:			
Water Debt Acts 888-C. 107 and Subsequent Acts relative thereto	$28,000		
School Bldg. Acts 1931-C. 26	42,000		
School Bldgs. Acts 1923-C. 173 ...	126,000		
School Bldg. Acts 1929-C. 191 ...	110,000		
School Bldg. Acts 1930-C. 202 ...	45,000		
Sewerage Loan Acts 1924-C. 59	105,000		
Fire and Police Bldg. Acts 1930-C. 201	66,000		
		$522,000 00	
Total Debt outstanding plus debts authorized but not yet incurred within debt limit		$388,000 00	
Less Sinking Funds applicable debt within limit		None	
Leaves Net Debt plus authorized debts to be reckoned in determining Debt Limit ...			$388,000 00
Borrowing Capacity as of December 31, 1934.....			$337,679 00

Note: Motor Vehicle valuations (included above) figured from Excise Commitments, viz.

1932—$25,723 74 at $29 92 tax rate	$859,750 00
1933— 22,215 09 at 31 55 tax rate	704,123 00
1934— 21,966 47 at 32 14 tax rate	683,462 00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. STANWOOD,
Town Treasurer.

For more detail see report of Town Accountant.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

January 1, 1934, to January 1, 1935

1932 Taxes

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1934	$39,386 99	
To interest	1,240 44	
		$40,627 43

Cr.

By Cash paid Town Treasurer	$10,502 27	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	1,240 44	
By abatement	472 41	
By transfer to Tax Title Account	28,412 31	
		$40,627 43

1933 Taxes

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1934	$349,181 45	
To interest	13,116 78	
		$362,298 23

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	$295,801 04	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	13,116 78	
By abatement	2,605 08	
By transfer to Tax Title Account	47,105 56	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1935	3,669 77	
		$362,298 23

1933 Poll and Old Age Assistance Taxes

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1934:		
Poll Tax	$76 00	
Old Age Assistance Tax	83 00	
To warrants not committed:		
Poll Tax	36 00	
Old Age Assistance Tax	17 00	
To interest	1 05	
		$213 05

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer:		
Poll Tax	$92 00	
Old Age Assistance Tax	45 00	
By abatement:		
Poll Tax	20 00	
Old Age Assistance Tax	55 00	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	1 05	
		$213 05

1933 Sewer Assessments

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1934	$3,388 54	
To interest	3 12	
		$3,391 66

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	$121 03	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	3 12	
By apportionment	3,267 51	
		$3,391 66

1933 Excise Tax

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1934	$4,754 92	
To interest	116 11	
		$4,871 03

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	$4,304 77	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	116 11	
By abatement	450 15	
		$4,871 03

1933 Water Liens

Dr.

To balance uncollected January 1, 1934	$2,660 26	
To interest	24 89	
		$2,685 15

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer	$1,059 33	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	24 89	
By abatement	376 20	
By transfer to Tax Title Account	1,224 73	
		$2,685 15

1934 Taxes

Dr.

To warrants committed	$661,696 18	
To interest	459 84	
		$662,156 02

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer...	$393,490 93	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	459 84	
By abatement	5,244 78	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1935.....	262,960 47	
		$662,156 02

1934 Poll Taxes

Dr.

To warrants committed	$7,330 00	
To interest	04	
		$7,330 04

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer...	$6,824 00	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	04	
By abatement	480 00	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1935.....	26 00	
		$7,330 04

1934 Excise Tax

Dr.

To warrants committed	$23,421 45	
To interest	76 56	
		$23,498 01

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer...	$20,514 46	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	76 56	
By abatement	899 83	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1935.....	2,007 16	
		$23,498 01

1934 Sewer Assessments

Dr.		
To warrants committed	$5,814 46	$5,814 46
Cr.		
By cash paid Town Treasurer...	1,195 11	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1935	4,619 35	
		$5,814 46

1934 Sewer House Connections

Dr.		
To warrants committed	$4,887 96	
To interest	46	
		$4,888 42
Cr.		
By cash paid Town Treasurer...	$1,108 85	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	46	
By abatement	4 61	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1935.....	3,774 50	
		$4,888 42

1934 Betterment Assessments

Dr.		
To warrants committed		$1,648 91
Cr.		
To balance uncollected January 1, 1935.....		$1,648 91

1934 Special Sewer Assessments

Dr.		
To warrants committed	$1,268 69	
To interest committed	18 21	
		$1,286 90
Cr.		
By cash paid Town Treasurer...	$1,268 69	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	18 21	
		$1,286 90

1934 Special House Connection Assessments

Dr.

To warrants committed		$41 72

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer...		$41 72

1934 Special Betterment Assessments

Dr.

To warrant committed	$1,632 23	
To interest committed	35 98	
		$1,668 21

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer...	$1,632 23	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	35 98	
		$1,668 21

1934 Water Liens

Dr.

To warrants committed	$3,028 07	
To interest	1 88	
		$3,029 95

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer...	$1,118 25	
By interest paid Town Treasurer	1 88	
By transfer to Tax Title Account	38 04	
By balance uncollected January 1, 1935.....	1,871 78	
		$3,029 95

All Other Receipts

Dr.

To receipts from Tax Certificates	$137 00	
To receipts from Demands and Charges	1,609 25	
		$1,746 25

Cr.

By cash paid Town Treasurer .		$1,746 25

1934 Appropriations and Expenditures

Appropriation	$5,879 50	
Appropriated from Reserve Fund		
Tax Sale Expenses	400 00	
		$6,279 50
Expenditures:		
Salaries:		
Collector	$2,210 00	
Clerk	1,105 00	
		3,315 00
Bonds:		
Collector	$474 00	
Deputy	10 00	
		484 00
Tax Bills	$102 03	
Cash Books	39 92	
Stamps and Envelopes	334 19	
Telephone	49 83	
Miscellaneous	44 78	
Tax Sale Expenses	1,846 80	
		6,216 55
Balance		$62 95

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY GODFREY,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Receipts and Expenditures for the Year Ending December 31, 1934

RECEIPTS

General Revenue:		
Taxes for 1932 and 1933:		
Poll	$92 00	
Personal	7,998 06	
Real	274,260 57	
		$282,350 63
Taxes for 1934:		
Poll	6,824 00	
Personal	37,404 66	
Real	351,413 28	
		395,641 94
From State:		
Income Tax	35,426 70	
Income Tax Educational	9,750 00	
Corporation Tax	14,169 12	
National Bank Tax	839 51	
Trust Company Tax	500 38	
Tel. & Tel. Co. Tax	909 19	
Federal Emergency Relief	8,440 86	
State Aid	20 00	
Military Aid	100 00	
Veterans' Exemptions	41 03	
		70,196 79
Special Assessments:		
Moth	731 76	
Sidewalk	542 35	
Street Betterments	10,565 76	
Sewer Betterments	10,242 89	
Motor Vehicle	24,809 23	
Old Age Assistance	45 00	
Sewer House Connections	1,279 34	
		48,216 33
Tax on Land for Water Purposes	1,301 81	
		1,301 81
Court and Jail Fines	459 00	
		459 00
Licenses:		
Roadside Stands	10 00	
Fuel Oil	1 00	
Victuallers	37 50	
Junk	4 00	
Peddlers	80 00	
Sunday	95 00	
Pool and Bowling	60 00	
Gasoline	32 00	
Garage	21 25	
Auto Agents	75 00	
Milk	31 50	
Pasteurizing	30 00	
Alcohol	2 00	
Taxi	6 00	
Revolver	71 00	
Carried forward	$556 25	$798,166 50

Brought forward	$556 25	$798,166 50
Auctioneer	$2 00	
Undertaker	4 00	
Explosives	1 00	
Manicure	21 00	
Removal of Sand and Gravel	34 00	
Kerosene	1 50	
Motion Pictures	10 00	
Motor Junk	2 50	
Inn Holder	5 00	
Oleomargarine	1 00	
		638 25

DEPARTMENTAL RECEIPTS

Treasurer:			
Release of Tax Titles	$43,581 44		
		$43,581 44	
Tax Collector:			
Certification and Costs	137 00		
Excise Tax Costs	87 85		
		224 85	
Assessors:			
Sale of Poll Lists	7 00		
		7 00	
Town Planning Board:			
Sale of Maps	9 00		
		9 00	
Board of Survey:			
Hearing	10 00		
		10 00	
Town Hall and Grounds:			
Rental of Hall	750 00		
		750 00	
Tree Warden:			
Supervision	31 55		
		31 55	
Board of Health:			
Reimbursement from State Contagious Diseases	749 64		
Reimbursement from Newton	23 00		
		772 64	
Public Welfare:			
Receipts from Individuals	272 00		
Receipts from Cities and Towns	5,449 64		
Receipts from State	14,918 30		
		20,639 94	
Old Age Assistance:			
Receipts from State	4,802 75		
		4,802 75	
School:			
Tuition from State	647 43		
Tuition from Boston	73 10		
Other Tuition	132 92		
Sale of Supplies	265 12		
Rentals	132 00		
Miscellaneous Receipts	91 93		
		1,342 50	
Carried forward		$72,171 67	$798,804 75

Brought forward		$72,171 67	$798,804 75
Vocational Tuition:			
Receipts from State	$600 20		
		600 20	
Water Department:			
Receipts:			
Rates	55,307 25		
Repairs	1,193 04		
Construction	939 58		
Demands	199 80		
Miscellaneous	120 00		
Liens	2,238 45		
		59,998 12	
Public Library:			
Fines	224 52		
Sale of Books	7 95		
Refund Water Bottle	13 00		
		245 47	
Inspection:			
Building Fees	441 00		
Cesspool Fees	74 00		
Plumbing Fees	654 75		
Gas Fees	181 50		
Wiring Fees	842 15		
Sealing Fees	94 84		
		2,288 24	
Unclassified:			
Sale of Town Reports	9 50		
		9 50	
Glover Memorial Hospital:			
Receipts:			
For Services	12,224 59		
For Miscellaneous	25 80		
		12,250 39	
Sewer House Connections:			
Advance Payments	115 00		
		115 00	
Babson Institute Agreement	17 69		
		17 69	
Fire Department:			
Fighting Grass Fire	19 00		
		19 00	
Highway Department:			
Sale of Material	12 75		
Use of Equipment	4 00		
		16 75	
			147,732 03
GRANTS AND GIFTS			
Norfolk County:			
Dog Tax	1,761 48		
Award Dedham Avenue	749 47		
		2,510 95	2,510 95
Carried forward			$949,047 73

Brought forward			$949,047 73

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Tax Loans		$714,000 00	
			$714,000 00

INTEREST

On Deposits	$167 12		
On Deferred Taxes	15,769 03		
On Street Assessments	2,660 40		
On Sidewalk Assessments	103 04		
On Sewer Taxes	2,769 61		
On Excise Taxes	705 57		
On Greenwood and Barr Fund	383 16		
On Dwight School Fund	270 00		
On Tax Titles	3,761 72		
On Sewer House Connections	11 08		
On Water Liens	18 84		
		26,619 57	
			26,619 57

REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Water Department Insurance	140 00		
Dog Licenses	2,312 00		
Donations	1,650 28		
Insurance Refunds	8 88		
Tailings	3 20		
Old Age Assistance Refund	47 00		
Damage Traffic Signal	250 00		
		4,411 36	
			4,411 36
Cash on Hand January 1, 1934		131,820 49	
			131,820 49
Total			1,825,899 15

PAYMENTS

General Government:			
Selectmen's Department:			
Salaries of Board		450 00	
Salary of Clerk		1,105 00	
			1,555 00
Appropriation	1,555 00		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies		246 92	
Expenses of Town Meetings		74 70	
Telephone		105 73	
Subscription — *Needham Chronicle*		2 00	
Flowers — Haddock and McLeod Funeral		12 00	
Miscellaneous		3 00	
			444 35
Appropriation	585 00		
Accounting Department:			
Salary of Accountant		1,445 00	
Salary of Clerk		884 00	
			2,329 00
Appropriation	2,329 00		
Carried forward			$4,328 35

Brought forward			$4,328 35
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies		$96 76	
Telephone		12 00	
Clerical Assistance		31 00	
Miscellaneous		7 50	
			147 26
Appropriation	$150 00		
Treasury Department:			
Salary of Treasurer		2,210 00	
Salary of Clerks		2,002 00	
			4,212 00
Appropriation	4,212 00		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies		471 95	
Telephone		95 16	
Transportation		20 00	
Bond		237 00	
Reports		18 00	
Recording of Deeds		2 06	
Miscellaneous		12 79	
			856 96
Appropriation	857 00		
Receipts:			
Release of Tax Titles	43,581 44		
Town Clerk's Department:			
Salary of Town Clerk		467 50	
Salary of Clerk		1,193 40	
			1,660 90
Appropriation	1,660 90		
Maintenance:			
Recording Fees		334 50	
Office Supplies		236 05	
Telephone		43 61	
Administering Oaths		19 25	
Miscellaneous		3 80	
			637 21
Appropriation	639 00		
Election and Registrations:			
Salaries of Registrars		300 00	
			300 00
Appropriation	300 00		
Maintenance:			
Election of Officers		1,647 63	
Office Supplies		122 81	
Meals for Election Officers		122 30	
Clerical Assistance		30 00	
Printing		485 74	
Rent		4 00	
Posting		10 00	
Rental of Chairs		5 50	
			2,427 98
Appropriation	2,400 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	34 00		
	2,434 00		
Carried forward			$14,570 66

Brought forward			$14,570 66
Tax Collector's Department:			
Salary of Tax Collector		$2,210 00	
Salary of Clerk		1,105 00	
			3,315 00
Appropriation	$3,331 25		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies		518 21	
Bonds		494 00	
Telephone		49 83	
Expenses on Tax Titles		1,289 60	
Printing and Advertising		306 65	
Recording Deeds		250 13	
Miscellaneous		3 13	
			2,911 55
Appropriation	2,548 25		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	400 00		
	2,948 25		
Receipts:			
Certification and Costs	137 00		
Excise Tax Costs	87 85		
	224 85		
Assessors' Department:			
Salaries of Assessors		2,974 88	
Salary of Clerk		1,281 80	
			4,256 68
Appropriation	4,256 80		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies		350 62	
Poll Lists		223 20	
Abstracts		253 96	
Transportation		254 75	
Telephone		65 23	
Clerical Assistance		346 50	
Plans		45	
			1,494 71
Appropriation	1,350 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	175 00		
	1,525 00		
Receipts:			
Sale of Poll Lists	7 00		
Town Hall and Grounds:			
Salary of Custodian		1,214 00	
Salary Superintendent of Buildings		294 48	
			1,508 48
Appropriation		1,768 00	
Maintenance:			
Fuel		735 39	
Water		39 94	
Repairs		525 96	
Janitor's Supplies		364 07	
Transportation		13 33	
Extra Labor		260 01	
Insurance		30 10	
Carried forward		$1,968 80	$28,057 08

Brought forward		$1,968 80	$28,057 08
Revolver and Badge		25 25	
Miscellaneous		8 62	
			2,002 67
Appropriation	$2,007 00		
Receipts:			
Rent of Hall	750 00		
Finance Committee:			
Salary of Clerk		300 00	
			300 00
Appropriation	300 00		
Maintenance:			
Stationery, Miscellaneous Supplies and Expenses		112 49	
Reports and Mailing		240 50	
Budget Sheets and Envelopes		32 50	
File		6 93	
			392 42
Appropriation	550 00		
Board of Survey:			
Advertising		3 00	3 00
Appropriation	75 00		
Receipts:			
Hearing	10 00		
Town Planning Board:			
Clerical Expenses		26 50	
Office Supplies		6 25	
Advertising		34 87	
Maps		95	
Dues		15 00	
			83 57
Appropriation	100 00		
Receipts:			
Sale of Maps	9 00		

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department:			
Salaries:			
Chief		2,295 00	
Sergeants		3,995 00	
Patrolmen		18,858 53	
Special Officers		2,331 22	
Matron		1,200 00	
			28,679 75
Appropriation	29,007 50		
Maintenance:			
Telephone		803 70	
Auto		1,300 92	
House Supplies		22 45	
Equipment for Men		401 12	
Other Equipment		2,042 74	
Traffic Signals		512 00	
House Furnishings		3 50	
Lockup Charges		93 45	
Carried forward		$5,179 88	$59,518 49

Brought forward		$5,179 88	$59,518 49
Laundry		33 82	
Office Supplies		85 54	
Light		352 24	
House Repairs		129 26	
Chief's Expenses		18 50	
Fuel		548 07	
Dues Revolver League and Chief Asso.		20 00	
Water		29 76	
Miscellaneous		18 01	
			6,415 08
Appropriation	$6,120 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	300 00		
	6,420 00		
Fire Department:			
Salaries:			
Chief		2,125 00	
Deputy Chief		85 00	
Lieutenants		5,992 50	
Regulars		21,317 39	
Callmen		2,456 24	
			31,976 13
Appropriation	32,240 00		
Maintenance:			
Equipment and Repairs		2,147 16	
Equipment for Men		61 90	
Laundry		116 45	
Telephone		186 25	
Lights		301 05	
House Repairs		421 37	
House Supplies		122 06	
Fuel		700 00	
Office Supplies		127 74	
Water		74 02	
Rent at Charles River		30 00	
Dues Fire Association		10 00	
Clerical Services		5 00	
Signs		5 60	
Reseeding Lawn		21 65	
Miscellaneous		23 03	
			4,353 28
Appropriation	4,375 00		
Receipts:			
Causing Fires	19 00		
Fire Alarm Department:			
Salaries		255 00	
			255 00
Appropriation	255 00		
Maintenance:			
Materials		687 40	
Power for Whistle		124 08	
Auto Expenses		71 24	
Compensation Insurance		7 02	
Repairing Compressor		29 25	
			918 99
Appropriation	950 00		
Carried forward			$103,436 97

Brought forward			$103,436 97
Inspection Department:			
Salaries			
Building Inspector		$1,400 00	
Wiring Inspector		1,200 00	
Plumbing and Gas Inspectors		855 00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures		340 00	
Animal Inspector		255 00	
			4,050 00
Appropriation	$3,600 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	450 50		
	4,050 50		
Maintenance:			
Telephone		38 60	
Office Supplies		110 75	
Seals, etc.		26 10	
Auto Hire		62 50	
Advertising		10 50	
Inspection Services		8 75	
			257 20
Appropriation	100 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	158 50		
	258 50		
Receipts:			
Building Fees	441 00		
Wiring Fees	842 15		
Plumbing Fees	654 75		
Cesspool Fees	74 00		
Gas Fees	181 50		
Sealing Fees	94 84		
	2,288 24		
Forest Warden Department:			
Salary of Forest Warden		85 00	
			85 00
Appropriation	85 00		
Maintenance:			
Brooms		8 50	
Tanks with Pumps		48 00	
			56 50
Appropriation	65 00		
Tree Warden's Department:			
Salary Tree Warden		532 46	
Labor		328 83	
Tools and Supplies		101 20	
Auto Expenses		8 45	
Telephone		45 26	
Compensation Insurance		67 88	
			1,084 08
Appropriation	1,431 24		
Receipts:			
Supervision	31 55		
Carried forward			$108,969 75

Brought forward			$108,969 75
Moth Department:			
Salary of Superintendent		$1,043 97	
Labor		1,227 87	
Auto Expenses		320 85	
Office Supplies		21 66	
Telephone		10 11	
Insecticides		315 58	
Hardware and Tools		433 76	
Rent		114 00	
Compensation Insurance		67 87	
			3,555 67
Chargeable to Moth Public	$3,350 95		
Chargeable to Moth Private	204 72		
Appropriation:			
Moth Public	3,703 60		
Moth Private	1,000 00		
	4,703 60		
Health and Sanitation:			
Board of Health:			
Salary of Health Officer		1,700 00	
Salary of Nurse		560 00	
Caretaker of Dump		338 00	
			2,598 00
Appropriation	2,260 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	375 00		
	2,635 00		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies		87 54	
Telephone		71 64	
Hospitalization		5,471 00	
Medical Aid		47 55	
Transportation		274 61	
Drugs and Supplies		22 98	
Laboratory Expenses		31 47	
Dump Expenses		3 07	
Advertising		5 33	
Disposal of Dead Animals		62 00	
Compensation Insurance		15 81	
Office Equipment		30 19	
Burial Permits		17 50	
Clerical Assistance		23 75	
Miscellaneous		4 27	
			6,168 71
Appropriation	3,720 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	2,448 71		
	6,168 71		
Reimbursement by State			
Contagious Diseases	749 64		
Reimbursement by Newton	23 00		
	772 64		
Removal of Garbage:			
Contract		2,133 34	
			2,133 34
Appropriation	2,133 34		
Carried forward			$123,425 47

Brought forward			$123,425 47
Mosquito Eradication:			
Use of Equipment		$461 60	
			461 60
Appropriation	$400 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	62 40		
	462 40		

GLOVER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Salaries:			
Matron		1,380 00	
Nurses		5,006 51	
Cook		920 47	
Janitor Service		1,131 02	
			8,438 00
Appropriation	8,000 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	500 00		
	8,500 00		
Maintenance:			
Labor		122 86	
Office Supplies		146 68	
Lights		313 48	
Telephone		138 18	
Food		3,986 71	
Laundry		1,107 35	
Ice		59 50	
Medical Supplies		2,086 92	
Medical Equipment		95 17	
Janitor Supplies		47 27	
Furnishings		325 88	
Fuel		982 11	
Repairs		249 47	
Clothing		68 34	
Water		113 66	
Superintendent of Buildings		73 65	
Compensation Insurance		46 81	
Removal of Rubbish		31 50	
Plowing		8 00	
Miscellaneous		5 86	
			10,009 40
Appropriation	10,000 00		
Donation	10 00		
	10,010 00		
Receipts:			
From Services	12,224 59		
From Miscellaneous	25 80		
	12,250 39		

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Department of Public Welfare:			
Salaries:			
Agent		1,363 53	
Visitor		1,073 19	
Clerk		910 00	
			3,346 72
Appropriation	3,400 00		
Carried forward			$145,681 19

Brought forward			$145,681 19
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies	$696 89		
Telephone	170 28		
Food	4,833 39		
Fuel	2,491 02		
Rents	7,046 91		
Board and care	2,272 95		
Medical Aid	1,892 02		
Transportation	230 48		
Clothing	1,346 85		
Expenses at Wood Lot	1,772 03		
Interment Expenses	449 00		
FERA Expenses	248 33		
Rental Typewriter	28 00		
Miscellaneous	45 03		
		$23,523 18	
Outside Relief:			
Town	20,543 76		
Other Towns	2,568 73		
Mothers' Aid	2,327 96		
Old Age Assistance	12,602 84		
		38,043 29	
			61,566 47
Appropriation	61,600 00		
Donation	13 00		
	61,613 00		
Receipts:			
From Cities and Towns	5,449 64		
From State	14,918 30		
From Individuals	275 00		
	20,642 94		
Old Age Assistance:			
Receipts from State	4,802 75		
State Aid:			
Allowances		320 00	
			320 00
Appropriation	100 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	250 00		
	350 00		
Military Aid:			
Allowances		260 00	
			260 00
Appropriation	300 00		
Soldiers' Relief:			
Salary Agent		510 00	
Office Supplies		62 11	
Allowances		8,056 15	
Food		653 24	
Fuel		396 78	
Rent		2,622 81	
Clothing		822 17	
Medical Aid		1,127 13	
Hospital Care		306 55	
Carried forward		$14,556 94	$207,827 66

Brought forward		$14,556 94	$207,827 66
Water		45 48	
Aid to Other Towns		82 00	
Office Equipment		150 29	
Store Room		13 10	
Miscellaneous		52 85	
			14,900 66
Appropriation	$15,000 00		

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Superintendent of Public Works:			
Salary		2,550 00	
			2,550 00
Appropriation	2,550 00		
Engineering Department:			
Salary and Wages		2,810 78	
Auto		199 80	
Office Supplies		42 73	
Engineering Supplies		119 86	
Compensation Insurance		21 13	
Repair to Transit		34 25	
Miscellaneous		6 00	
Unclassified		58 52	
			3,293 07
Appropriation	3,297 60		
Sewer Department:			
Sewer Maintenance Salaries:			
Superintendent		422 81	
Clerk		972 92	
Labor		1,658 89	
			3,054 62
Appropriation	3,072 40		
Sewer Maintenance:			
Labor		529 51	
Telephone		106 08	
Office Supplies		128 75	
Rent		105 00	
Tools and Supplies		279 16	
Auto		417 90	
Unclassified		136 91	
Reports		16 50	
Compensation Insurance		34 67	
Map		6 00	
Miscellaneous		2 00	
			1,762 48
Appropriation	1,765 00		
Sewer Construction:			
Superintendent		105 00	
Engineers		364 65	
Labor		5,514 47	
Teams		325 31	
Auto		1,062 45	
Sand and Gravel		582 84	
Brick Pipe and Cement		2,435 99	
Tools and Supplies		773 77	
Blasting		3,053 60	
Joint Compound		201 35	
Asphalt Binder		605 52	
Carried forward		$15,024 95	$233,388 49

Brought forward		$15,024 95	$233,388 49
Recording		$44 31	
Blue Prints		22 13	
Compensation Insurance		454 25	
Payments on Bonds		13,000 00	
Interest on Bonds		1,212 50	
Miscellaneous		44 05	
			29,802 19
Appropriation	$19,503 74		
Transfer from Sewer Reserve Fund	16,345 60		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	72 80		
	35,922 14		
Sewer House Connections:			
Labor		3,236 77	
Brick Pipe and Cement		1,142 27	
Tarvia		214 39	
Compensation Insurance		66 03	
Recording		4 92	
Tools and Supplies		347 34	
Blasting		56 02	
Miscellaneous		8 72	
			5,076 46
Appropriation	10,000 00		
Highway Department:			
Equipment and Repairs	1,324 56		
Tools and Supplies	396 62		
Compensation Insurance	953 87		
Auto Expense	1,517 87		
Rent	780 00		
Telephone	97 01		
Office Supplies	21 62		
Lights	14 42		
Fuel	14 10		
Miscellaneous	11 60		
Recording Deeds	14 12		
Rental Steam Shovel	60 00		
Unclassified	587 54		
		5,793 33	
Street Repairs:			
Superintendent	281 25		
Labor	6,732 29		
Auto	982 80		
Materials	7,506 20		
		15,502 54	
Street Cleaning:			
Labor	4,864 24		
Auto	72 87		
		4,937 11	
Drains:			
Labor	1,985 53		
Auto	501 80		
Materials	2,031 57		
		4,518 90	
Carried forward		$30,751 88	$268,267 14

Brought forward		$30,751 88	$268,267 14
Signs:			
Labor	$397 05		
Materials	123 24		
Signs	56 25		
		576 54	
Fences:			
Labor	75 32		
Materials	62 97		
		138 29	
Parks:			
Labor	33 92		
Repair to Equipment	6 75		
		40 67	
			31,507 38
Appropriation	28,655 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	3,834 89		
	32,489 89		
Receipts:			
Sale of Materials	12 75		
Use of Equipment	4 00		
	16 75		
Sidewalks:			
Maintenance:			
Labor		1,456 91	
Auto		31 20	
Materials		1,261 06	
Compensation Insurance		71 36	
Recording		5 03	
Construction:			
Labor		2,629 06	
Auto		72 80	
Materials		972 58	
			6,500 00
Appropriation	6,500 00		
Snow Removal:			
Superintendent		439 82	
Labor		4,324 29	
Autos		873 40	
Gasoline		297 02	
Repairs to Equipment		338 70	
Sand		279 00	
Tools and Supplies		26 25	
Plowing		2,421 52	
			9,000 00
Appropriation	9,000 00		
Mt. Vernon Avenue:			
Labor		553 99	
Materials		646 01	
			1,200 00
Appropriation	1,200 00		
Carried forward			$316,474 52

Brought forward			$316,474 52
STREET LIGHTING			
Edison Electric Ill. Co.:			
Contract		$21,311 81	
Relocating and Installing Lights		225 91	
			21,537 72
Appropriation	$22,000 00		
PARKINSON STREET			
Damage Award		926 25	
			926 25
Appropriation	1,160 13		
OTIS STREET			
Damage Award		925 65	
			925 65
Appropriation	1,253 05		
POWERS STREET			
Damage Award		1,015 73	
			1,015 73
Appropriation	1,106 98		
CHARLES RIVER STREET			
Damage Award		212 00	
			212 00
Appropriation	212 00		
WATER DEPARTMENT			
Maintenance:			
Superintendent	2,624 70		
Engineers and Clerk	4,261 27		
Labor	7,273 32		
Office Supplies	813 98		
Telephone	297 15		
Auto	1,631 30		
Tools and Supplies	839 98		
Meters and Fittings	1,953 54		
Printing and Advertising	26 85		
Lights	67 93		
Payment on Bonds	11,000 00		
Interest on Bonds	1,500 00		
Pipe and Fittings	1,164 16		
Apparatus	267 60		
Installing Wells	1,958 02		
Thawing	1,420 02		
Insurance	565 87		
Reports	15 50		
Subscriptions	9 00		
Recording	68 47		
Safe	107 30		
Repairing Adding Machine	16 50		
Expressage	53 46		
Miscellaneous	63 85		
Parking Space	64 25		
		38,064 02	
Carried forward		$38,064 02	$341,091 87

Brought forward		$38,064 02	$341,091 87
Pumping Station:			
Engineer	$1,653 08		
Power	10,756 84		
Oil and Waste	41 45		
Fuel	207 38		
Repairs to Building	73 91		
Repairs to Machinery	58 18		
Insurance	140 00		
Cellar Drainer	9 93		
Miscellaneous	1 00		
		12,941 77	
Construction:			
Labor on Services	331 60		
Material for Services	2,297 71		
Labor on Mains	928 91		
Materials for Mains	4,013 36		
Drilling and Blasting	122 43		
Unclassified	288 78		
		7,982 79	
			58 988 58
Appropriation	59,000 00		
Receipts:			
Rates	55,307 25		
Repairs	1,193 04		
Department	939 58		
Demands	199 80		
Miscellaneous	120 00		
Liens	2,238 45		
	59,998 12		

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Salaries:			
Librarian		1,530 00	
Assistants		2,712 07	
Janitor		427 00	
			4,669 07
Appropriation	4,610 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	150 00		
	4,760 00		
Maintenance:			
Office Supplies		378 36	
Books		1,316 02	
Periodicals		177 41	
Binding Books		199 46	
Moving Books		24 50	
Book Repairs		122 92	
Telephone		54 83	
House Repairs		92 86	
Fuel		408 50	
Removal of Ashes		7 92	
Janitor Supplies		44 84	
Water		7 85	
Furnishings		25 00	
Cards		24 36	
Expressage		5 91	
Carried forward		$2,890 74	$404,749 52

Brought forward		$2,890 74	$404,749 52
Compensation Insurance		7 01	
Printing		32 66	
Subscription		2 00	
Repairs Lawn Mower		4 75	
Miscellaneous		17 05	
			2,954 21
Appropriation	$844 59		
Dog Licenses	1,761 48		
Income Greenwood and Barr Funds	418 93		
	3,025 00		
Receipts:			
Fines	224 52		
Sale of Books	7 95		
Refund Water Bottle	13 00		
	245 47		

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Salaries:			
General Control:			
Superintendent of Schools	4,633 36		
Attendance Officer	212 50		
Superintendent of Buildings	736 69		
Clerks	1,214 74		
		6,797 29	
Expenses of Instruction:			
Supervisors:			
Physical Education	2,380 00		
Music	2,000 00		
Drawing	1,700 00		
		6,080 00	
Principals:			
Senior High School	3,655 00		
Junior High School	2,801 00		
Elementary Schools	3,922 50		
Clerks	1,440 00		
		11,818 50	
Teachers:			
Senior High School	30,040 50		
Junior High School	30,197 39		
Elementary School	60,660 36		
Substitutes	1,607 70		
		122,505 95	
Janitors All Schools	15,700 95		
		15,700 95	
Health:			
School Physicians	637 50		
School Nurse	1,615 00		
		2,252 50	
Maintenance:			
General Control:			
Printing	91 37		
Office Supplies	141 95		
Transportation	166 68		
		400 00	
Carried forward		$165,555 19	$407,703 73

Brought forward		$165,555 19	$407,703 73
Expenses of Instruction:			
Text Books	$2,876 77		
Supplies	3,991 05		
		6,867 82	
Operating Expenses:			
Fuel	8,010 56		
Water	800 33		
Electricity	2,602 58		
Telephone	742 12		
Building and Cleaning Supplies	833 40		
Pupils' Supplies	376 80		
Miscellaneous Operating Expenses	419 14		
Repairs to Building	7,939 40		
		21,724 33	
Auxiliary Agencies:			
Library (Books)	141 50		
Health Supplies	47 65		
Transportation—Nurse	150 00		
Transportation—Bus and Middlesex & Boston Tickets	6,010 18		
Tuition	245 68		
Insurance—Boilers	265 96		
Insurance Compensation	155 77		
Removal of Ashes	301 60		
Commencement Expenses	166 82		
Miscellaneous Expense	29 85		
New Grounds	31 00		
New Equipment	42 00		
		7,588 01	
			201,735 35
Appropriation	201,793 90		
Dwight Income	270 00		
Donations	1,637 28		
	203,701 18		
Receipts:			
State Income Tax	9,750 00		
Tuition from State	647 43		
Tuition from Boston	73 10		
Other Tuition	132 92		
Sale of Supplies	239 86		
Rentals	132 00		
Miscellaneous Receipts	91 93		
	11,067 24		
Vocational Tuition:			
City of Boston	292 84		
City of Newton	1,201 25		
		1,494 09	
			1,494 09
Appropriation	1,500 00		
Receipts:			
From State	600 20		
Carried forward			$610,933 17

Brought forward			$610,933 17

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day:			
Music		$125 00	
Flags		48 75	
Transportation		5 00	
Wreaths		45 00	
Ice Cream Cones		38 00	
Printing		15 75	
Markers		15 00	
Miscellaneous		1 12	
			293 62
Appropriation	$300 00		
Unclassified:			
Town Reports		2,122 20	
Damages to Persons and Property		1,160 37	
Legal Expenses		2,111 08	
FERA Expenses		1,224 88	
Certification of Notes		74 00	
Coughlin, Haddock and McLeod Expenses		1,178 35	
Dog Officer		210 00	
Dog Officer Equipment		31 65	
Jury Lists		16 00	
Town Resolutions		20 00	
Reinstalling Traffic Light		142 00	
Office Supplies all Departments		49 61	
Office Equipment		100 00	
Advertising		6 00	
			8,446 14
Appropriation	7,000 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	1,450 00		
	8,450 00		
Receipts:			
Sale of Town Reports	9 50		
Annuity Account:			
Widow and Family—Francis O. Haddock		1,626 95	
			1,626 95
Appropriation	1,626 95		
Annuity Account:			
Widow—Forbes A. McLeod		903 85	
			903 85
Appropriation	903 85		
Insurance:			
Premiums Blanket Policy		2,031 30	
			2,031 30
Appropriation	2,000 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	31 30		
	2,031 30		
Special Insurance:			
Premium (Robbery and Holdup)		261 10	
			261 10
Appropriation	300 00		
Carried forward			$624,496 13

Brought forward			$624,496 13
Repairs to Old Fire Station:			
Labor		$431 66	
Materials		353 66	
			785 32
Appropriation	$800 00		
Town Nursery:			
Labor		50 00	
			50 00
Appropriation	50 00		
Equipment Town Treasurer's Office:			
Equipment		400 00	
			400 00
Appropriation	500 00		
Timothy L. Coughlin:			
Award for Injuries		2,000 00	
			2,000 00
Appropriation	2,000 00		
Norfolk County Hospital:			
Assessment 1934		4,926 81	
			4,926 81
Appropriation	4,926 81		
Care of Soldiers' Graves:			
Needham Cemetery Association		396 59	
			396 59
Appropriation	400 00		
Local Game Warden:			
Salary		85 00	
			85 00
Appropriation	85 00		
Petroleum Inspector:			
Salary		85 00	
			85 00
Appropriation	85 00		
Memorial Park:			
Labor		875 20	
Filling		253 50	
Water		38 88	
Installing Heating System		920 00	
Care of Grounds		142 35	
Painting Flag Pole		15 00	
Repairing Baseball Diamond		13 60	
Repairing Equipment		16 00	
Repairs to Building		85 46	
Miscellaneous Supplies		56 84	
			2,416 83
Appropriation	1,500 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	920 00		
	2,420 00		
Deficiencies 1933:			
Public Welfare		4,015 57	
School		512 14	
Vocational Tuition		36 84	
Glover Memorial Hospital		80 53	
Library		24 96	
Memorial Park		4 19	
Carried forward		$4,674 23	$635,641 68

Brought forward		$4,674 23	$635,641 68
Unclassified		23 02	
Planning Board		1 75	
Tax Collector		8 25	
Fire Department		37 44	
Police Department		37 38	
Highway Department		5 51	
Health Department		18 50	
Soldiers' Relief		212 64	
			5,018 72
Appropriation	$10,050 00		
Transfer from Reserve Fund	3,253 56		
	13,303 56		
Overdrafts Paid 1933	8,284 84		
	5,018 72		
Interest and Maturing Debts:			
Interest on Temporary Loans		8,525 47	
			8,525 47
Appropriation	20,000 00		
Interest on Funded Loans:			
Refunding 4½%		2,440 00	
Stephen Palmer School		40 00	
Stephen Palmer School Addition		1,000 00	
William Carter School		3,000 00	
New High School 1923		5,652 50	
New High School 1929		15,760 00	
Elementary School		2,167 50	
Fire and Police Station		2,880 00	
Public Library		20 00	
Sewer Construction 1929		4,300 00	
			37,260 00
Appropriation	37,260 00		
MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS			
Refunding 4½%		8,000 00	
Stephen Palmer School		2,000 00	
Stephen Palmer School Addition		5,000 00	
William Carter School		8,000 00	
New High School 1923		14,000 00	
New High School 1929		26,000 00	
Elementary School		4,000 00	
Fire and Police Station Buildings		6,000 00	
Public Library		500 00	
Sewer Construction 1929		5,000 00	
			78,500 00
Appropriation	78,500 00		
TAXES AND REFUNDS			
State Tax		32,300 00	
Metropolitan Park Tax		11,044 04	
Metropolitan Planning Board		104 52	
Metropolitan Sewerage Tax		19,445 42	
Charles River Basin		2,019 07	
Traffic Routes		786 19	
Smoke Nuisance		123 55	
Carried forward		$65,822 79	$764,945 87

Brought forward	$65,822 79	$764,945 86
State Auditing	1,474 87	
Route 128	12,135 00	
National Bank Tax	159 54	
Trust Company Tax	21 91	
R. R. & Tel. & Tel. Tax	34 59	
Corporation Tax	466 36	
Income Tax	323 00	
Norfolk County Tax	16,960 58	
Refunds on Taxes	943 75	
Refunds on Excise Taxes	702 26	
Refunds on Sewer House Connections	19 40	
Refunds on Water Rates	176 99	
County for Dog Licenses	2,375 00	
Temporary Tax Loans	864,000 00	
Tailings	53 83	
Transfer from General Cash to Petty Cash	20 00	
		965,689 87
Cash on hand, December 31, 1934		95,954 00
Unlocated Balance		36 21
		1,826,625 95
Dedham Avenue Construction Overdraft		726 80
		$1,825,899 15

Reserve Fund:		
Transfer to:		
Assessors	175 00	
Deficiencies 1933	3,253 56	
Removal of Garbage	133 34	
State Aid	250 00	
Inspection Salaries	450 50	
Inspection Maintenance	158 50	
Board of Health Salaries	375 00	
Board of Health Maintenance	2,448 71	
Unclassified	1,450 00	
Highway	3,834 89	
Sewer Construction	72 80	
Mosquito Eradication	62 40	
Memorial Park	920 00	
Library Salaries	150 00	
Tax Collector Maintenance	400 00	
Insurance	31 30	
Hospital Salaries	500 00	
Election Registration Maintenance	34 00	
Police Maintenance	300 00	
		15,000 00
Appropriation $15,000 00		

TRIAL BALANCE
1934

Cash	95,954 00	
Taxes 1932		1 83
Taxes 1933	4,142 00	
Taxes 1934	252,197 78	
Motor Excise Tax 1933	2 00	
Motor Excise Tax 1934	2,017 16	
Moth Tax 1933	2 00	
Moth Tax 1934	329 24	
Carried forward	$354,644 18	$1 83

Brought forward	$354,644 18	$1 83
Sewer House Connection Assessment 1934	223 14	
Unapportioned Sewer House Connection Assessment, 1934		2,708 59
Unapportioned Sewer House Connection Assessment, 1935		997 21
Sewer Assessment, 1933		63 18
Sewer Assessment, 1934	3,578 63	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment, 1928	5,087 73	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment, 1932	124 00	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment, 1933	3,503 48	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment, 1935		5,788 86
Sidewalk Assessment, 1933		90 86
Sidewalk Assessment, 1934	211 86	
Street Assessment, 1933	56 21	
Street Assessment, 1934	4,023 04	
Unapportioned Street Assessment, 1932	41 60	
Unapportioned Street Assessment, 1933	65 54	
Unapportioned Street Assessment, 1934	50 87	
Unapportioned Street Assessment, 1935		1,648 91
Interest added to Tax Bill, 1933	214 18	
Interest added to Tax Bill, 1934	2,745 68	
Overlay Reserve		12,100 60
Overlay, 1932		6,058 33
Overlay, 1933		15,995 14
Overlay, 1934		11,208 46
Tax Titles	55,585 75	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Not Due	31,229 36	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1934	432 87	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1935		7,776 74
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1936		6,075 79
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1937		5,809 37
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1938		4,706 40
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1939		2,996 83
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1940		1,903 59
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1941		1,064 00
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1942		445 22
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1943		431 65
Apportioned Sewer Assessments Due 1944		452 64
Apportioned Street Betterments Not Due	35,300 20	
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1933		51 25
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1934	131 48	
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1935		8,006 43
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1936		7,519 88
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1937		6,897 72
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1938		6,136 40
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1939		3,486 88
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1940		1,919 13
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1941		919 41
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1942		164 86
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1943		164 86
Apportioned Street Betterments Due 1944		164 86
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Not Due	855 65	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1935		301 62
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1936		226 80
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1937		181 15
Carried forward	$498,105 45	$124,465 45

Brought forward	$498,105 45	$124,465 45
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1938		87 86
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1939		48 22
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments Due 1940		10 00
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Not Due	2,111 28	
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1934	84 13	
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1935		463 63
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1936		454 70
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1937		418 66
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1938		327 30
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1939		214 63
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1940		150 52
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1941		87 81
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1942		44 53
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1943		23 11
Apportioned Sewer House Connections Due 1944		10 52
Departmental Bills Receivable General	4,106 44	
Departmental Bills Receivable Welfare	16,299 50	
Departmental Bills Receivable Hospital	14,208 32	
Departmental Revenue		34,614 26
Excess and Deficiency		132,258 29
Tax Title Revenue		55,585 75
Revenue Interest		3,493 87
Motor Excise Tax Revenue		2,019 16
Moth Assessments Revenue		331 24
Sewer House Connection Assessment Revenue	3,482 66	
Street Betterment Assessment Revenue		2,588 35
Sidewalk Assessment Revenue		121 00
Sewer Assessment Revenue		5,908 29
Sewer Construction Reserve		13,097 62
Old Age Assistance Revenue		43 00
Refunds		8 88
Petty Case Advances	140 00	
Reserve for Petty Cash		140 00
Tailings		765 09
Dog License Trust Funds		8 40
Temporary Tax Loans		150,000 00
Sewer Department Construction		6,119 95
Reward—McLeod and Haddock		1,000 00
Water Rates	8,116 93	
Water Repairs	296 40	
Water Department Construction		18 65
Water Department Liens	1,068 05	
Water Cash		1,658 74
Carried forward	$548,019 16	$536,587 48

Brought forward	$548,019 16	$536,587 48
Water Revenue		7,746 73
Water Department Maintenance		11 42
Needham Gardens Water Mains		2,582 94
Fairfield Street Water Mains		670 06
Special Trust Funds Greenwood and Barr		383 16
Smith Hughes Fund Income		35 57
George Reed Fund Income		1 80
	548,019 16	548,019 16

TRUST FUND TRIAL BALANCE

Trust Funds and Accounts	83,549 92	
Mary V. E. Hill		1,029 14
The William Carter Company		8,649 34
Horace A. Carter		1,217 57
The Lyon Fund		6,186 97
Thomas Sutton		1,147 07
Seth A. Fowle		2,317 94
Adeline E. Harris		118 12
Elizabeth Fisher		116 60
Hospital Building Fund		19,529 74
George E. Wye		10,604 91
Lucy N. Cutler		2,860 55
William Wentworth		59 00
Glover Hospital Fund		2,745 45
Mary E. Moseley (Bed)		3,261 68
William G. Moseley Scholarship		3,665 58
Needham Cemetery Investment		1,058 15
Dwight School		6,000 00
Myra S. Greenwood		12,482 11
Martha Ann Barr		500 00
	$83,549 92	$83,549 92

DEBT STATEMENT

Also Amounts Due from Principals and Interest During the Year 1935

	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1933	Paid in 1934	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1934	Due on Principal 1935	Interest 1935
Refunding 4½%	$61,000 00	$8,000 00	$53,000 00	$8,000 00	$2,120 00
Stephen Palmer School	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Palmer School Addition	50,000 00	5,000 00	45,000 00	5,000 00	1,800 00
William Carter School	64,000 00	8,000 00	56,000 00	8,000 00	2,600 00
New High School 1923	140,000 00	14,000 00	126,000 00	14,000 00	5,057 50
New High School 1929	382,000 00	26,000 00	356,000 00	26,000 00	13,720 00
Elementary School	53,000 00	4,000 00	49,000 00	4,000 00	1,997 50
Fire and Police Station Building	72,000 00	6,000 00	66,000 00	6,000 00	2,640 00
Public Library	500 00	500 00	.....	.....	.....
Sewer Construction 1925	110,000 00	5,000 00	105,000 00	5,000 00	4,100 00
Sewer Construction 1929	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Sewer Extension 1930	10,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	*100 00
Sewer Extension 1931	24,000 00	3,000 00	21,000 00	3,000 00	*682 50
Water Bonds	35,000 00	7,000 00	28,000 00	7,000 00	†1,120 00
Water Bonds 1930	4,000 00	4,000 00	.....	.....	.....
	$1,012,500 00	$102,500 00	$910,000 00	$91,000 00	$35,937 50

*Payable from Sewer Construction Funds. †Payable from Water Maintenance.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE TAX RATE FOR 1934

State Tax	$2.462
County Tax	.529
Municipal Indebtedness	2.421
Interest Funded Loans	1.123
Interest Temporary Loans	.609
Deficiencies and Overdrafts	.306
Norfolk County Hospital	.150
Overlays	.539
School	6.278
Public Welfare	2.008
Water	1.832
Fire	1.126
Police	1.081
Highway	.884
Street Lighting	.681
Glover Memorial Hospital	.561
Soldiers' Relief	.465
Sewer House Connections	.342
Removal of Snow	.285
Unclassified	.215
Sidewalks	.206
Health	.183
Tax Collector	.188
Assessors	.172
Library	.169
Treasurer	.158
Reserve Fund	.155
Sewer Maintenance	.150
Moth	.145
Town Hall and Grounds	.117
Inspection	.117
Engineering	.102
Registrars	.083
Superintendent Public Works	.079
Accounting	.087
Town Clerk	.070
Selectmen	.066
T. L. Coughlin	.062
Removal of Garbage	.062
Insurance	.062
Annuity Haddock	.051
Memorial Park	.048
Vocational Tuition	.048
Tree Warden	.046
Fire Alarm	.043
Mt. Vernon Avenue	.037
Reward Conviction	.031
Annuity McLeod	.028
Finance Committee	.026
Repair old Fire Station	.023
Care of Soldiers' Graves	.012
Equipment Treasurer's Office	.012
Mosquito Eradication	.012
Memorial Day	.009
Insurance Protection	.009
Military Aid	.009
Charles River Street Damages	.006
Forest Warden	.005
State Aid	.003

Planning Board	$0.003
Petroleum Inspector	.003
Game Warden	.003
Board of Survey	.002
Town Nursery	.001
	26.80

UNPAID BILLS DUE IN 1934

*Balance of Maintenance Appropriation Unexpended

Public Welfare:		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	$13 60	
Department Public Welfare, Boston	92 00	
C. A. Thompson	22 00	
		127 60
*$46.53		
Health:		
City Collector of Boston	$30 26	
Burgess S. Warne	9 00	
Mass. Memorial Hospitals	21 00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	6 57	
		66 83
Unclassified:		
William W. Hewett	$5 00	
Raymond Cook	3 00	
Lemont D. Litchfield	3 00	
Willard Doane	3 00	
Edison Electric Ill. Co.	3 36	
Frank Marsilli	10 00	
		27 36
*$3.86		
Highway:		
Stack & McAdam, Inc.	$3 22	
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	21 90	
		25 12
*$982.51		
Water:		
Stack & McAdam, Inc.	$14 28	
		14 28
*$11.42		
Snow Removal:		
Charles River Sand & Gravel Co., Inc.	$270 76	
		270 76
Glover Memorial Hospital:		
Edison Electric Ill. Co.	$32 62	
Worcester Gas Light Co.	58 98	
W. S. Quinby	11 70	
Whetton's Oil Co.	52 50	
Babson Park Laundry Service	80 67	
S. E. Massengill Co.	6 25	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	14 58	
Lewis Manufacturing Co.	15 00	
Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corp'n.	81	
McKesson-Eastern Drug Co.	11 97	
Crowley & Gardner	27 56	
		312 64
*$0.60		

Tree Warden:		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	$6 71	
		$6 71
*$347.16		
School Department Maintenance:		
Edison Electric Ill. Co.	$406 89	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	55 07	
Worcester Gas Light Co.	3 40	
		465 36
*$1.51		
Library:		
John Lawson	$10 80	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	4 57	
		15 37
*$70.79		
Memorial Park:		
J. J. Coppinger	$2 45	
		2 45
*$3.17		
Repairs Old Fire Station:		
J. J. Coppinger Co.	$16 39	
		16 39
*$14.68		
		$1,350 87

Respectfully submitted,

MELVILLE W. GRANT,

Town Accountant.

RECAPITULATION

	Jan. 1, 1934 Balances	Appropriation	Transfers and Donations	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
GENERAL GOVERNMENT							
Board of Selectmen, Salaries	.....	$1,555 00	.....	$1,555 00	$1,555 00	.....	.....
Board of Selectmen, Maintenance	.....	585 00	.....	585 00	444 35	$140 65	.....
Accounting Department, Salaries	.....	2,329 00	.....	2,329 00	2,329 00	.....	.....
Accounting Department, Maintenance	.....	150 00	.....	150 00	147 26	2 74	.....
Treasury Department, Salaries	.....	4,212 00	.....	4,212 00	4,212 00	.....	.....
Treasury Department, Maintenance	.....	857 00	.....	857 00	856 96	04	.....
Town Clerk's Department, Salaries	.....	1,660 90	.....	1,660 90	1,660 90	.....	.....
Town Clerk's Department, Maintenance	.....	639 00	.....	639 00	637 21	1 79	.....
Tax Collector's Department, Salaries	.....	3,331 25	.....	3,331 25	3,315 00	16 25	.....
Tax Collector's Department, Maintenance	.....	2,548 25	$400 00	2,948 25	2,911 55	36 70	.....
Assessors' Department, Salaries	.....	4,256 80	.....	4,256 80	4,256 68	12	.....
Assessors' Department, Maintenance	.....	1,350 00	175 00	1,525 00	1,494 71	30 29	.....
Board of Registrars, Salaries	.....	300 00	.....	300 00	300 00	.....	.....
Board of Registrars, Maintenance	.....	2,400 00	34 00	2,434 00	2,427 98	6 02	.....
Town Hall and Grounds, Salaries	.....	1,768 00	.....	1,768 00	1,508 48	259 52	.....
Town Hall and Grounds, Maintenance	.....	2,007 00	.....	2,007 00	2,002 67	4 33	.....
Finance Committee, Salaries	.....	300 00	.....	300 00	300 00	.....	.....
Finance Committee, Maintenance	.....	550 00	.....	550 00	392 42	157 58	.....
Board of Survey	.....	75 00	.....	75 00	3 00	72 00	.....
Town Planning Board	.....	100 00	.....	100 00	83 57	16 43	.....
Superintendent Public Works	.....	2,550 00	.....	2,550 00	2,550 00	.....	.....
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY							
Police Department, Salaries	.....	29,007 50	.....	29,007 50	28,679 75	327 75	.....
Police Department, Maintenance	.....	6,120 00	300 00	6,420 00	6,415 08	4 92	.....
Fire Department, Salaries	.....	32,240 00	.....	32,240 00	31,976 13	263 87	.....
Fire Department, Maintenance	.....	4,375 00	.....	4,375 00	4,353 28	21 72	.....
Fire Alarm, Salaries	.....	255 00	.....	255 00	255 00	.....	.....
Fire Alarm, Maintenance	.....	950 00	.....	950 00	918 99	31 01	.....

Inspection Department, Salaries	.....	3,600 00	450 50	4,050 50	4,050 00	50	.....
Inspection Department, Maintenance	.....	100 00	158 50	258 50	257 20	1 30	.....
Tree Warden's Department	.....	1,431 24	.....	1,431 24	1,084 08	347 16	.....
Forest Warden's Department, Salaries	.....	85 00	.....	85 00	85 00	.....	.....
Forest Warden's Department, Maintenance	.....	65 00	.....	65 00	56 50	8 50	.....
Moth Department (Public)	.....	3,703 60	.....	3,703 60	3,350 95	352 65	.....
Moth Department (Private)	.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	204 72	795 28	.....
HEALTH AND SANITATION							
Board of Health, Salaries	.....	2,260 00	375 00	2,635 00	2,598 00	37 00	.....
Board of Health, Maintenance	.....	3,720 00	2,448 71	6,168 71	6,168 71	.....	.....
Board of Health Mosquito Eradication	.....	400 00	62 40	462 40	461 60	80	.....
Removal of Garbage	.....	2,000 00	133 34	2,133 34	2,133 34	.....	.....
Sewer Maintenance, Salaries	.....	3,072 40	.....	3,072 40	3,054 62	17 78	.....
Sewer Maintenance	.....	1,765 00	.....	1,765 00	1,762 48	2 52	.....
Sewer Construction	$19,503 74	.....	16,418 40	35,922 14	29,802 19	6,119 95	.....
Sewer House Connections	.....	10,000 00	.....	10,000 00	5,076 46	4,923 54	
CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS							
Department Public Welfare Salaries	.....	3,400 00	.....	3,400 00	3,346 72	53 28	.....
Department Public Welfare, Maintenance	.....	61,600 00	13 00	61,613 00	61,566 47	46 53	.....
State Aid	.....	100 00	250 00	350 00	320 00	30 00	.....
Military Aid	.....	300 00	.....	300 00	260 00	40 00	.....
Soldiers' Relief	.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00	14,900 66	99 34	.....
HIGHWAYS							
Highway Department	.....	28,655 00	3,834 89	32,489 89	31,507 38	982 51	.....
Sidewalk Department	.....	6,500 00	.....	6,500 00	6,500 00	.....	.....
Removal of Snow	.....	9,000 00	.....	9,000 00	9,000 00	.....	.....
Street Lighting	.....	22,000 00	.....	22,000 00	21,537 72	462 28	.....
Otis Street Construction	1,253 05	.....	.....	1,253 05	925 65	327 40	.....
Parkinson Street Construction	1,160 13	.....	.....	1,160 13	926 25	233 88	.....

RECAPITULATION — *Continued*

	Jan. 1, 1934 Balances	Appropriation	Transfers and Donations	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Powers Street Construction	$1,106 98	.....	.....	$1,106 98	$1,015 73	$91 25	.....
Charles River Street Land Damage	.....	$212 00	.....	212 00	212 00	.....	.....
Mt. Vernon Avenue Construction	.....	1,200 00	.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
WATER DEPARTMENT							
Water Maintenance	.....	59,000 00	.....	59,000 00	58,988 58	11 42	
EDUCATION AND LIBRARY							
School Department	.....	201,793 90	$1,907 28	203,701 18	201,735 35	1,965 83	.....
Vocational Tuition	.....	1,500 00	.....	1,500 00	1,494 09	5 91	.....
Library Salaries	.....	4,610 00	150 00	4,760 00	4,669 07	90 93	.....
Library Maintenance	.....	844 59	2,180 41	3,025 00	2,954 21	70 79	.....
RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED							
Unclassified	.....	7,000 00	1,450 00	8,450 00	8,446 14	3 86	.....
Deficiencies	.....	10,000 00	3,303 56	13,303 56	5,018 72	.....	$8,284 84
Reserve Fund	5,000 00	10,000 00	.....	15,000 00	15,000 00	.....	.....
Insurance Department	.....	2,000 00	31 30	2,031 30	2,031 30	.....	.....
Town Nursery	.....	50 00	.....	50 00	50 00	.....	.....
Memorial Day	.....	300 00	.....	300 00	293 62	6 38	.....
Memorial Park	.....	1,500 00	920 00	2,420 00	2,416 83	3 17	.....
Care of Soldiers' Graves	.....	400 00	.....	400 00	396 59	3 41	.....
Game Warden, Salary	.....	85 00	.....	85 00	85 00	.....	.....
Petroleum Inspector, Salary	.....	85 00	.....	85 00	85 00	.....	.....
Engineering	.....	3,297 60	.....	3,297 60	3,293 07	4 53	.....
Annuity Widow and Children, Francis O. Haddock	.....	1,626 95	.....	1,626 95	1,626 95	.....	.....

Annuity Widow, Forbes A. McLeod	.....	903 85	.....	903 85	903 85	.....	.....
Equipment Treasurer's Office	.....	400 00	.....	400 00	400 00	.....	.....
Special Insurance Protection Town Hall	.....	300 00	.....	300 00	261 10	38 90	.....
Repairs "Old Fire Station"	.....	800 00	.....	800 00	785 32	14 68	.....
Glover Memorial Hospital Salaries	.....	8,000 00	500 00	8,500 00	8,438 00	62 00	.....
Glover Memorial Hospital, Maintenance	.....	10,000 00	10 00	10,010 00	10,009 40	60	.....
Timothy L. Coughlin Award	.....	2,000 00	.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
Norfolk County Hospital	.....	4,926 81	.....	4,926 81	4,926 81	.....	.....
INTEREST AND FUNDED DEPARTMENT							
Interest on Temporary Loans	.....	20,000 00	.....	20,000 00	8,525 47	11,474 53	.....
Municipal Indebetedness	.....	78,500 00	.....	78,500 00	78,500 00	.....	.....
Interest on Funded Loans	.....	37,260 00	.....	37,260 00	37,260 00	.....	.....
	$28,023 90	$754,824 64	$35,506 29	$818,354 83	$779,945 87	$30,124 12	$8,284 84

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

January 1, 1935.

Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We respectfully submit herewith our Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1934.

HOWARD A. FLEWELLING, *Chairman,*
CHARLES W. WOODBURY,
ARTHUR H. GODFREY,
Board of Assessors.

Recapitulation

Town appropriations	$750,874 64
Overlay for the year 1931	589 21
State Assessments	27,687 24
State tax	32,300 00
So. Metropolitan Sewerage tax	19,445 42
County tax	16,960 58
County Hospital maintenance	4,926 81
Overlay (of the current year)	16,913 77
	$869,697 67

Estimated Receipts

Income tax	$48,566 77
Corporation tax	12,151 44
Bank tax	990 71
Railroad, Telephone and Telegraph Companies	590 46
Gas, Electric Light and Water Companies	2,294 75
Motor Vehicle tax	21,000 00
Licenses	800 00
Fines	150 00
Public Welfare	21,000 00
Protection of Persons and Property	1,950 00
General Government	700 00
Health and Sanitation	1,100 00
Water Receipts	59,000 00
Old Age Assistance	3,000 00
Schools	1,700 00
Libraries	160 00
Glover Memorial Hospital	11,000 00
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	16,000 00
Federal Emergency Relief Fund	8,440 86
	$210,594 99
Net amount raised on Polls and property	$659,102 68
Number of polls 3,619 at $2.00 each	7,238 00
Total valuation $23,765,395 Tax rate $26.80	636,912 57
Additional betterment and special assessments (outside the taxes levied on property at the tax rate) as follows:	
Sewer assessment plus interest	10,541 79
Street betterment plus interest	11,911 68
Sidewalk betterment plus interest	520 36
Sewer House connections plus interest	474 16
Moth tax	744 10
	$668,342 66

Tax on Water Lands		$1,301 81
		$669,644 47
Less amount of Sewer Tax to Trust Fund		10,541 79
Total amount of all taxes listed in the Collector's Commitment list		$659,102 68
Gain in valuation of real and personal estate over 1933		$105,730 00
Number of horses assessed	63	
Number of cows	109	
Number of swine	246	
Number of fowl	2,175	
Number of geese	60	
Number of houses	2,728	
Number of acres of land	7,576	

Omitted and Additional Assessments

Under Chapter 59, Section 75, General Laws

Value of real estate	$13,925	$373 19
Value of personal	4,025	107 87
Value of 46 polls		92 00
Street betterment plus interest		66 65
Moth tax		33 81

HOWARD A. FLEWELLING,
CHARLES W. WOODBURY,
ARTHUR H. GODFREY,

Board of Assessors.

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TOWN OF NEEDHAM

REPORT

OF THE

FINANCE COMMITTEE

TO THE TOWN

AT THE

ANNUAL MEETING, MARCH 19, 1934

ELECTION, MARCH 12

BUSINESS MEETING, MARCH 19, AT 7.30 O'CLOCK

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REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Voters of the Town of Needham:

The Finance Committee submits herewith its financial report and recommendations for the annual budget for the Town for the year 1934, and also on those articles on the Warrant for the annual meeting that may call for special appropriations.

At the last annual meeting certain additions to the By-Laws of the Town were adopted which enlarged the powers of the Finance Committee especially in regard to material for the annual budgets. All departments have co-operated with the Committee and we believe they are all in thorough accord with the spirit of economy. Only in a very few cases has it been found possible to decrease the amount asked for. There is no question that certain expenditures necessary for building repairs and new equipment are being merely postponed, and that the Town will need to meet this expense in the near future. We believe, however, it is possible to go through this year with the amounts we are recommending for maintenance. In the past year some departments were unable to complete their work with the appropriations made by the Town at the annual meeting, and transfers from the reserve fund were made by the Finance Committee to meet these deficiencies, but only after careful investigation, and when in the opinion of the Committee it was absolutely necessary.

The matter of taxation has become more than a local problem, and all indications point to greatly increased taxes, both by State and Federal Governments. Every citizen in Needham will have to pay his share of these additional taxes in some form. We have no direct control over state and federal taxes, but we can control our local taxes.

Members of the Needham Finance Committee became affiliated last fall with an association composed of the Finance Committees of the larger towns of the Metropolitan District, and they have been attending its meetings. Valuable information has been obtained from the various speakers and from a general discussion of conditions in neighboring towns, which we found to be very similar in the matter of expenditures.

No other department of the Town shows so clearly the trend of financial conditions as the Welfare Department. The past year the cost of this Department has been lessened somewhat owing to the assistance from the Federal Government through the Civil Works Administration. This Federal assistance is now going on, and we are recommending about the same appropriation as last year, believing that if conditions do not improve, Federal relief may be continued.

Last year the Finance Committee asked for and the Town appropriated the sum of $10,000 for the reserve fund. The Town also voted about $15,000 to be added to the reserve fund for use in the School Department if necessary, and this sum was included in the tax levy. The State Division of Accounts ruled, however, that money once in the reserve fund could not be transferred out for any purpose except unforeseen emergencies. This left the full amount of about $25,000 available for transfer to any department.

At the special meeting of the Town in September a part of this money was appropriated for the use of the School Department in carrying out the projects voted at that time. In December the Finance Committee voted to transfer other sums from the reserve fund to the Police Department, the Fire Department, for the payment of insurance bills, purchase of materials for C. W. A. work and for other items all as set forth in the Accountant's report. The balance of the fund amounting to about $9,000 was transferred to the Welfare Department to meet its deficiency. This enabled us to use all the money in the fund.

We are recommending an appropriation of $20,000 for the reserve fund for this year. This sum is larger than usual but it seems probable that more money will be required for materials for C. W. A. work, and we do not know at this time in which department the money will be needed. It is also possible that additional money will have to be spent for the purchase of equipment in our Public Safety Departments if required by the State authorities. Any money unexpended from this fund can be transferred at the close of the year to the Welfare Department, or can remain in the treasury. The expense of special town meetings may be avoided in this way.

In making appropriations for the departments that will be consolidated under the head of Public Works Department we have tried to anticipate all the requirements but owing to the many changes that will necessarily take place, some things may have been overlooked. The recommendation for the salary of the Superintendent of Public Works appears in the Selectmen's budget.

At the annual meeting last year the Town voted to adopt a salary schedule of approximately 15% below that of the year 1932 and the several appropriations were made on that basis. Also a special committee was appointed to consider the whole salary and wage question in the Town. Therefore under the By-Laws the Finance Committee can make no recommendations on this matter, and in making up the annual budget we have used the schedule as voted by the Town last year.

The Finance Committee have always believed that appropriations for those departments in the Town having to do

with the preservation of life and property should be carefully watched in order to maintain the highest degree of efficency. It may be an open question whether extreme economy had any bearing on the unfortunate tragedy of February 2 in which two members of the Police Department lost their lives in the performance of their duty, and such a thing may never happen again in the Town. However, from the manner in which the citizens of Needham, as well as other places, have been aroused to the need for greater police protection, both for themselves and for their property, it is very evident that a larger appropriation must be made both for increasing the police force and for providing protection to its members in the discharge of their duties. It will be a source of pride to the citizens of Needham to know that the members of our Police Department have never failed to give protection, even at the cost of their own lives.

A great deal of consideration has been given to the appropriations for the Police Department and we have held several consultations with the Selectmen and the Chief of Police. It seems necessary that some additions be made to the force and to the equipment, also to what may be termed "Emergency Equipment," and we have increased the amount recommended over that appropriated last year. The number to be added to the force and the amount of equipment to be purchased is, of course, entirely within the jurisdiction of the Town. We believe, however, in order to give the proper protection it will be necessary to increase the present force, by possibly two men. If further requirements are made necessary by State laws or regulations, the extra cost can be met by transfer from the reserve fund as previously stated.

We are also recommending appropriations for one additional permanent man in the Fire Department.

We would call special attention of the Town Meeting members to the Financial reports of the various departments and to our recommendations, as this year they will represent more than twenty other voters.

The Committee desires to express its appreciation to the Selectmen, the Department Heads and all other citizens who have assisted us in our work.

Our recommendations follow: —

RECOMMENDATIONS ON ARTICLES IN THE WARRANT

Article 4. To see what action the Town will take relative to unexpended balances and deficiencies of 1933.

Moved: That the sum of $10,050.00 be appropriated to pay unpaid bills contracted in 1933 but not received by the Town until after January 1, 1934, and to pay overdrafts and deficiencies of 1933.

Moved: That all unexpended balances be returned to the Treasury.

Article 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money received from dog licenses.

Moved: That the money received from dog licenses, to wit, $1,761.48 be appropriated for the use of the Public Library.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to the salaries of its Town officers.

Moved: That the salaries of Town Officers for the year 1934 be the same as voted in the Annual Budget.

Article 7. To see what sums of money the Town will appropriate for the necessary Town charges and expenses.

APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE, 1934

All Salary Allowances Based on 1932 Base Less 15%

	Expenditures 1933	Requested 1934	Recommended 1934
Accounting:			
Salary Accountant	$1,466 25	$1,466 25	**$1,445 00**
One Clerk	897 00	1,040 00	**884 00**
Expenses	120 70	175 00	**150 00**
	$2,483 95	$2,681 25	**$2,479 00**
Assessors:			
Chief Assessor, Two Assessors	$3,018 69	$2,000 00 1,400 00	**$1,785 00** **1,190 00**
One Clerk	1,300 52	1,300 00	**1,281 80**
One Extra Clerk	.....	300 00	.....
Expenses	1,227 06	1,350 00	**1,350 00**
*Block Plans	.....	1,000 00	.....
	$5,546 27	$7,350 00	**$5,606 80**
*Allowed in Engineering Budget.			
Engineering:			
Assessors' Plans, Unclassified Plans	$2,783 48	$1,000 00 1,800 00	**$1,000 00** **1,800 00**
Clerk	134 55	135 00	**132 60**
Automobile Expenses	428 01	200 00	**200 00**
Supplies, Insurance	.....	165 00	**165 00**
	$3,346 04	$3,300 00	**$3,297 60**
Finance Committee:			
Expenses	$368 50	$450 00	**$450 00**
Fire Alarm:			
Salaries	$300 00	$259 77	**$255 00**
Expenses	884 80	950 00	**950 00**
	$1,184 80	$1,209 77	**$1,105 00**
Fire Department:			
Chief	$2,155 79	$2,153 85	**$2,125 00**
Three Lieutenants	6,080 88	6,073 89	**5,992 50**
Eleven Men	19,524 22	19,804 00	**19,635 00**
Call Force	2,685 16	3,389 74	**3,340 00**
One New Man, 9 Months	.....	1,147 50	**1,147 50**
	30,446 05	32,568 98	**32,240 00**
Maintenance	4,216 34	4,550 00	**4,375 00**
	$34,662 39	$37,118 98	**$36,615 00**

	Expenditures 1933	Requested 1934	Recommended 1934
Forest Warden:			
Salary (Fire Chief)	$86 28	$85 00	**$85 00**
Expenses	.....	65 00	**65 00**
	$86 28	$150 00	**$150 00**
Glover Memorial Hospital:			
Salaries	$8,423 72	$18,000 00	**$8,000 00**
Maintenance	9,573 62	.....	**10,000 00**
	$17,997 34	$18,000 00	**$18,000 00**
Health, Board of:			
Agent's Salary	$1,725 00	$2,000 00	**$1,700 00**
Nurse One-half Time	.....	560 00	.....
Clerk	.....	720 00	.....
Transportation for Nurse	.....	220 00	.....
Hospitalization	2,749 36	3,000 00	**3,000 00**
Expenses	792 70	500 00	**500 00**
Dumps	350 00	.....	.....
	$5,617 06	$7,000 00	**$5,200 00**
Garbage	$1,766 66	$2,500 00	**$2,000 00**
Highways:			
General	$28,261 32	$28,655 00	**$28,655 00**
Sidewalks	6,747 69	6,500 00	**6,500 00**
Snow Removal	8,269 11	.....	**7,000 00**
Street Lighting	23,253 84	21,282 00	**22,000 00**
Inspections:			
Building Cesspool	$1,400 00	$1,600 00	**$1,400 00**
Wiring	1,200 00	1,400 00	**1,200 00**
Plumbing and Gas	662 50	700 00	**600 00**
Animal	300 00	300 00	**200 00**
Weights and Measures	400 00	400 00	**200 00**
Expenses	164 10	100 00	**100 00**
	$4,126 60	$4,500 00	**$3,700 00**
Petroleum Inspection (Fire Chief)	86 25	85 00	**85 00**
Game Warden	86 25	85 00	**85 00**
Insurance	$5,637 26	$2,000 00	**$2,000 00**
Library:			
Salaries	$4,188 56	$4,250 00	**$4,100 00**
Janitor	517 50	510 00	**510 00**
Books and Periodicals	1,602 97	1,650 00	**1,650 00**
Bindings	291 84	400 00	**300 00**
Supplies and Expenses	417 52	600 00	**475 00**
Building Care and Heat	621 54	625 00	**600 00**
	$7,639 93	$8,035 00	**$7,635 00**
Less income from Barr and Greenwood Fund	.....	$418 93	.....
Less Dog Tax	.....	1,761 48	
			$2,180 41
			$5,454 59

	Expenditures 1933	Requested 1934	Recommended 1934
Memorial Day	$271 38	$300 00	**$300 00**
Care Soldiers' Graves	396 59	400 00	**400 00**
Memorial Park	$1,000 00	$1,500 00	**$1,500 00**
Heating System	.....	830 00	.....
Alterations	.....	300 00	.....
Overdrafts and Deficiencies.	$35,279 28	$10,050 00	**$10,050 00**
Planning Board	$76 19	$250 00	**$100 00**
Police Department:			
Salaries			
Chief	$2,328 04	$2,328 04	**$2,295 00**
Two Sergeants	4,053 92	4,053 92	**3,995 00**
Eleven Men	17,282 41	19,876 49	**18,870 00**
Matron	1,200 16	1,200 00	**1,200 00**
Special Police	826 63	1,800 00	**1,500 00**
*Three New Men	.....	5,400 00	**2,295 00**
Clerk	378 73	637 00	.....
	$26,069 91	$35,295 45	**$30,155 00**

*The Finance Committee recommends two new men.

Maintenance:			
Telephone and Teletype	$626 13	$900 00	**$900 00**
Light, Fuel, and Water	807 76	1,200 00	**1,050 00**
Traffic Signs and Signals	357 54	450 00	**200 00**
Equipment	144 19	450 00	**1,050 00**
Supplies	159 07	470 00	**470 00**
Lock-up	78 05	100 00	**100 00**
Repairs	13 07	250 00	**350 00**
Auto:			
Gasoline and Oil }	514 11	450 00	**500 00**
Repairs }		450 00	**200 00**
One New Car (exchange).	.....	600 00	**500 00**
*Two Motor-cycles (exchange)	.....	527 00	**600 00**
Radio	.....	200 00	**200 00**
	$2,699 92	$6,047 00	**$6,120 00**
	$28,769 83	$41,342 45	**$36,275 00**

*The Finance Committee recommends that a car be purchased to replace the motor-cycles.

Registrars:			
Salaries	$295 31	$300 00	**$300 00**
Town Election }		950 00	**900 00**
Primaries }	631 64	400 00	**400 00**
State Election }		650 00	**600 00**
Printing	111 40	500 00	**500 00**
	$1,038 35	$2,800 00	**$2,700 00**
Reserve Fund	$25,460 00	$20,000 00	**$20,000 00**

	Expenditures 1933	Requested 1934	Recommended 1934
School Department:			
All Salaries	$170,235 17	$173,993 50	**$164,066 09**
Office Expenses	856 50	400 00	**400 00**
Textbooks and Supplies	6,991 81	6,560 00	**6,560 00**
Operating	12,811 47	14,005 00	**14,005 00**
Maintenance	4,886 90	5,000 00	**5,000 00**
Auxiliary Agencies	6,839 52	7,300 00	**7,300 00**
Miscellaneous	1,928 92	3,260 00	**3,260 00**
	$204,550 29	$210,518 50	**$200,591 09**
Less Dwight School Fund	.....	.....	**360 00**
			$200,231 09
Vocational Tuition	$1,187 78	$1,500 00	**$1,500 00**
Selectmen:			
Salary Board	$150 00	$450 00	**$450 00**
Salary Clerk	1,121 38	1,170 00	**1,105 00**
Town Meeting	220 05	300 00	**300 00**
Expenses	564 84	285 00	**285 00**
	$2,056 27	$2,205 00	**$2,140 00**
Superintendent of Public Works	.....	$2,550 00	**$2,550 00**
Sewer Department:			
Superintendent	$1,373 04	$2,100 00	**$2,100 00**
*Clerk	979 57	1,035 00	**972 40**
Labor	897 21	1,280 00	**1,280 00**
Auto	100 63	200 00	**200 00**
Expenses	430 68	285 00	**285 00**
	$3,781 13	$4,900 00	**$4,837 40**
*Also receives salary from Engineering Department.			
Survey, Board of	$64 64	$75 00	**$75 00**
Tax Collector:			
Salary	$2,242 50	$2,242 50	**$2,210 00**
Clerk	1,121 25	1,121 25	**1,121 25**
Bonds	432 00	484 00	**474 00**
Expenses	502 59	574 25	**574 25**
*Tax Sales	170 74	1,500 00	**1,500 00**
	$4,469 08	$5,922 00	**$5,878 50**
*Formerly paid by treasurer.			
Town Hall and Grounds:			
Superintendent	$1,794 13	$1,794 13	**$1,768 00**
Labor, Fuel, Water and Supplies	1,215 16	1,212 00	**1,212 00**
Repairs and Changes	866 30	795 00	**795 00**
	$3,875 59	$3,801 13	**$3,775 00**
Town Clerk:			
Salary	$473 37	$750 00	**$467 50**
Clerk	1,210 95	1,300 00	**1,193 40**
Fees	342 50	339 00	**339 00**
Expenses	247 06	300 00	**300 00**
	$2,273 88	$2,689 00	**$2,299 90**

	Expenditures 1933	Requested 1934	Recommended 1934
Treasurer:			
Salary	$2,242 50	$2,340 00	**$2,210 00**
Two Clerks	2,002 00	2,340 00	**2,002 00**
Bond	213 50	237 00	**237 00**
Postage Telephone and Supplies	640 82	620 00	**620 00**
	$5,098 82	$5,537 00	**$5,069 00**
Tree Work:			
Tree Warden Department	$1,175 93	$1,431 24	**$1,431 24**
Moth, Private	759 26	1,000 00	**1,000 00**
Moth, Public	2,060 29	3,703 60	**3,703 60**
Nursery	.....	100 00	**50 00**
		$6,234 84	**$6,184 84**
Unclassified:			
Town Reports	$2,422 35	$2,345 00	**$2,345 00**
Damage Awards	842 67	500 00	**500 00**
Legal	1,441 21	1,855 00	**1,855 00**
Dog Officer	210 00	230 00	**230 00**
Miscellaneous	266 60	723 45	**723 45**
C. W. A.	408 84	.....	.....
Superintendent of Buildings.	.....	200 00	**200 00**
Emergency Expenses on Death of Police Officers	.....	1,146 53	**1,146 55**
	$5,591 67	$7,000 00	**$7,000 00**
Water Department:			
Operation	.....	$15,110 00	.....
Maintenance	.....	12,500 00	.....
Construction	.....	16,000 00	.....
Office and Supervision	.....	9,090 00	.....
Fixed Charges	.....	6,300 00	.....
	$48,800 21	$59,000 00	**$52,000 00**
Welfare:			
Salaries	$3,343 75	$3,400 00	**$3,400 00**
Expenses	658 79	800 00	**650 00**
Old Age	12,249 48	15,300 00	**67,950 00**
Mothers' Aid	2,361 99	7,000 00	
Dependent Aid	60,242 29	57,000 00	
	$78,856 30	$83,500 00	**$72,000 00**
Soldiers' Relief	17,157 03	15,000 00	**15,000 00**
Military Aid	235 00	300 00	**300 00**
State Aid	30 00	300 00	**100 00**
Bonds:			
Due in 1934	$87,500 00	$85,500 00	**$85,500 00**
Interest:			
Funded Loans	$40,525 00	$37,260 00	**$37,260 00**
Temporary Loans	19,426 34	20,000 00	**20,000 00**
Norfolk County Hospital	6,040 66	4,926 81	**4,926 81**

SUMMARY

	Expenditures 1933	Recommended 1934
Accounting	$2,483 95	**$2,479 00**
Assessors	5,546 27	**5,606 80**
Engineering	3,346 04	**3,297 60**
Finance Committee	368 50	**450 00**
Fire Alarm	1,184 80	**1,105 00**
Fire Department	34,662 39	**36,615 00**
Forest Warden	86 28	**150 00**
Glover Hospital	17,997 34	**18,000 00**
Health Department	5,617 06	**5,200 00**
Garbage	1,766 66	**2,000 00**
Highways	28,261 32	**28,655 00**
Sidewalks	6,747 69	**6,500 00**
Snow Removal	8,269 11	**7,000 00**
Street Lighting	23,253 84	**22,000 00**
Inspections	4,126 60	**3,700 00**
Petroleum and Game	172 50	**170 00**
Insurance	5,637 26	**2,000 00**
Library	7,639 93	**5,454 59**
Memorial Day	271 38	**300 00**
Soldiers' Graves	396 59	**400 00**
Memorial Park	1,000 00	**1,000 00**
Overdrafts and Deficiencies	35,279 28	**10,050 00**
Planning Board	76 19	**100 00**
Police Department	28,769 83	**36,275 00**
Registrars	1,038 35	**2,700 00**
Reserve Fund	25,460 00	**20,000 00**
School Department	204,550 29	**200,231 09**
Vocational Tuition	1,187 78	**1,500 00**
Selectmen	2,056 27	**4,690 00**
Sewer Department	3,781 13	**4,837 40**
Survey, Board of	64 64	**75 00**
Tax Collector	4,469 08	**5,878 50**
Town Hall and Grounds	3,875 59	**3,775 00**
Town Clerk	2,273 88	**2,299 90**
Treasurer	5,098 82	**5,069 00**
Tree Work	.....	**6,184 84**
Unclassified	5,591 67	**7,000 00**
Water Department	48,800 21	**52,000 00**
Welfare	78,856 30	**72,000 00**
Soldiers' Relief	17,157 03	**15,000 00**
State and Military Aid	265 00	**400 00**
Bonds and Interest	147,451 34	**142,760 00**
Norfolk County Hospital	6,040 66	**4,926 81**
		$749,835 53

Special Articles:	Requested	
Article 12	.....	**$10,000 00**
Article 15	.....	.....
Article 17	$3,100 00	**3,100 00**
Article 19	2,000 00	**2,000 00**
Article 21	2,550 00	**2,550 00**
Article 23	3,000 00	**3,000 00**
Article 24	1,200 00	**1,200 00**
Article 30	1,000 00	**1,000 00**
Article 31	1,626 95	**1,626 95**
Article 32	903 85	**903 85**
Article 33	.....	.....

	Requested	Recommended 1934
Article 34	$212 00	**$212 00**
Article 35	400 00	**200 00**
Article 37	300 00	**300 00**
Article 39	500 00	.....
Article 44	800 00	.....
		$26,092 80
Departmental Appropriations		**$749,835 53**
Special Appropriations		**26,092 80**
		$775,928 33
Estimated Additions:		
State Assessments	$27,000 00	
State Tax	32,000 00	
State Others	22,000 00	
County Tax	16,000 00	
Overlay	20,000 00	
		$117,000 00
		$892,928 33
Estimated Receipts:		
Income Tax	$50,000 00	
Corporation and Other Taxes	16,000 00	
Motor Excise	22,000 00	
Departmental Receipts	115,000 00	
Betterments	15,000 00	
Polls	7,500 00	
		$225,500 00
Estimated balance to be raised by Taxation		**$667,428 33**
Valuation of $23,500,000 at $28.50 tax rate		**$669,750 00**

Article 8. To see in what manner the Town will have its taxes collected and fix the compensation thereof for the current year.

Moved: That the taxes for the current year be collected in the same manner as in the year 1933 and that compensation therefor be the same as voted in the Budget.

Article 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectment to borrow money in anticipation of revenues of the current financial year.

Moved: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1934, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew such note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st, 1934.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes of 1935.

Moved: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the

revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew such note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st, 1935.

Article 11. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 29 of the Acts of 1934 relative to the payment of the cost of construction of particular sewers, and connecting drains in the Town.

Moved: That Chapter 29 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1934 relating to the payment of the cost of construction of particular sewers, and connecting drains in the Town of Needham, be and the same hereby is accepted.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the construction of particular sewers or house connections, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That the sum of $10,000 be appropriated for the construction of particular sewers or house connections.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer $16,345.60 from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, $14,212.50 of which shall be for payment of notes and interest due on construction bonds.

Moved: That the sum of $16,345.60 be transferred from the Sewer Assessment Reserve Fund to the Sewer Construction Account, of which $14,212.50 shall be to pay notes and interest due in 1934 on construction bonds.

Article 14. To see if the Town will change the terms of office of the Selectmen from one to three years, in the following manner, namely; at the Annual Meeting in the year 1935 one Selectman to be elected for the term of three years, one for the term of two years and one for the term of one year and thereafter at each Annual Meeting one for the term of three years on petition of the Board of Trade.

No recommendation required.

Article 15. To see what sum, not exceeding an amount to be recommended by the Chief of the Fire Department, the Town will appropriate to be paid to Timothy L. Coughlin to indemnify him for injuries suffered, and for expenses incurred on account thereof, through no fault of his own while in the actual performance of his duty as a fireman on February 2, 1934.

Moved: That the sum of $ be appropriated and paid to Timothy L. Coughlin to indemnify him for injuries suffered, and for expenses incurred on account thereof, through no fault of his own while in the actual performance of his duty as a fireman on February 2, 1934.

Article 16. To see if the Town will accept Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Moved: That the Town accept Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 17. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand one hundred dollars ($3,100.00) for the construction of Warren Street Extension under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Moved: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $3,100.00 for the construction of Warren Street Extension from Norfolk Street southerly about 850 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 18. To see if the Town will accept Laurel Drive from Warren Street Extension easterly about 540 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Moved: That the Town accept Laurel Drive from Warren Street Extension easterly about 540 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 19. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000.00) for the construction of Laurel Drive under the provisions of Law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Moved: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the construction of Laurel Drive from Warren Street Extension easterly about 540 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 20. To see if the Town will accept Gayland Road from Warren Street Extension westerly about 670 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Moved: That the Town accept Gayland Road from Warren Street Extension westerly about 670 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 21. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred and fifty dollars ($2,550.00) for the construction of Gayland Road under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Moved: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2,550.00 for the construction of Gayland Road from Warren Street Extension westerly about 670 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 22. To see if the Town will accept Highland Terrace from Highland Avenue easterly about 990 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Moved: That the Town accept Highland Terrace from Highland Avenue easterly about 990 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 23. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000.00) for the construction of Highland Terrace under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen.

Moved: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the construction of Highland Terrace from Highland Avenue easterly about 990 feet under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments as laid out by the Selectmen and according to a plan on file with the Town Clerk.

Article 24. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the completion of the construction of Mount Vernon Avenue as accepted by the Town under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments.

Moved: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,200.00 for the completion of the construction of Mount Vernon Avenue as accepted by the Town under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments.

Article 25. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light on Daly Place on petition of Mary E. Murphy and others.

Moved: That the substance of this Article be referred to the Town Engineer with power to act as he sees fit.

Article 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install two street lights on Gayland Road on petition of Arthur C. Stansfield and others.

Moved: That the substance of this Article be referred to the Town Engineer with power to act as he sees fit.

Article 27. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to install one street light at the corner of Nichols Road and Beaufort Avenue on petition of William T. Sweeney and others.

Moved: That the substance of this Article be referred to the Town Engineer with power to act as he sees fit.

Article 28. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate to be added to the Street Lighting Appropriation for the installation and maintenance of street lights.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Note: The appropriation recommended by the Finance Committee for Street Lighting includes a sum sufficient to pay for any necessary changes in the system and is sufficiently large to pay for the lights requested in Articles 25, 26, and 27 if found necessary by the Town Engineer.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following-named streets in whole or in part thereof as Town Ways as laid out and constructed by William H. Carter in accordance with plans on file with the Town Clerk:

Tower Avenue from Greendale Avenue to Lindbergh Avenue.
Lindbergh Avenue from Manning Street to Paul Revere Road.
Hoover Road from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Lexington Avenue from Webster Street to Tower Avenue.
Concord Street from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Burnside Road from Concord Street to Hoover Road.
Paul Revere Road from Tower Avenue to State Route 128.
Bennington Street from High Street to Concord Street.

Moved: That the Town accept as Town Ways the following-named streets as laid out and constructed by William H. Carter in accordance with plans on file with the Town Clerk:

Tower Avenue from Greendale Avenue to Lindbergh Avenue.
Lindbergh Avenue from Manning Street to Paul Revere Road.
Hoover Road from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Lexington Avenue from Webster Street to Tower Avenue.
Concord Street from Burnside Road to Tower Avenue.
Burnside Road from Concord Street to Hoover Road.
Paul Revere Road from Tower Avenue to State Route 128.
Bennington Street from High Street to Concord Street.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate $1,000.00 for rewards offered in accordance with the provisions of law for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Forbes A. McLeod and Frank O. Haddock.

Moved: That the sum of $1,000.00 be appropriated for the rewards offered in accordance with the provisions of law for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Forbes A. McLeod and Frank O. Haddock.

Article 31. To see if the Town will appropriate $1,626.95 for the annuity ordered paid in the manner provided by law to the widow and minor children of Frank O. Haddock.

Moved: That the sum of $1,626.95 be appropriated for the annuity granted to the widow and minor children of Frank O. Haddock.

Article 32. To see if the Town will appropriate $903.85 for the annuity ordered paid in the manner provided by law to the widow of Forbes A. McLeod.

Moved: That the sum of $903.85 be appropriated for the annuity granted to the widow of Forbes A. McLeod.

Article 33. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for the installation of one fire alarm box at the corner of Brookline Street and Bancroft Street on petition of J. E. Haddock and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 34. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Twelve Dollars ($212.00) to pay damages for land taken to relocate Charles River Street, as ordered by the County Commissioners in 1933.

Moved: That the sum of $212.00 be appropriated to pay damages for land taken to re-locate Charles River Street, as ordered by the County Commissioners in 1933.

Article 35. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars ($400.00) for equipment of the office of the Town Treasurer, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That the sum of $200 be appropriated for equipment of the office of the Town Treasurer.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 13 of Chapter 40 General Laws known as the Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund Act, or take any action relative thereto.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 37. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) for the purpose of special insurance for protection at the Town Hall, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That the sum of $300.00 be appropriated for the purpose of special insurance for protection at the Town Hall.

Article 38. To see what action the Town will take relative to the improvement of our present bus transportation facilities, or take any other action relative thereto upon petition of George H. Hassam and others.

No recommendation required.

Article 39. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500.00) for the purpose of conducting a public playground on Green's Field, so-called.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 40. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Sections 21 to 25, inclusive, of Chapter 136 of the General Laws relating to sports and games on the Lord's Day, on petition of Charles DeFazio and over five hundred other registered voters.

No recommendation required.

Article 41. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Law by adding the following new section under the caption "Sand, Gravel, and Loam Permits:"

"*Section 21A.* A permit for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam or for the operation of a commercial sand and gravel pit shall require as a condition that after completion of the operations the land shall be left in a condition no less valuable for development and use than it was before the commencement of operations.

"There shall be filed with each application for such permit a plan or map prepared at the expense of the applicant showing the existing contours of the land and the contours as they are proposed after the completion of the operations. Such plan or map must be accurately drawn and shall contain sufficiently complete information to make the physical characteristics clear. No permit shall be issued until such a plan is filed with and approved by the Selectmen.

"No applicant shall carry on operations below such a grade as may be fixed by the Selectmen without on each occasion obtaining the permission of the Selectmen but a tolerance of six inches more or less shall be permitted during or at the termination of operations.

"A permit issued hereunder for the removal of sand, gravel, or loam shall state the time within which work is to be finished and the land graded, but the Selectmen may for cause and without consent of any surety extend the permit from time to time.

"The Selectmen shall require a bond in a sufficient penal sum with sufficient surety or sureties conditioned on the performance of these By-Laws and the conditions of the permit."

No recommendation required.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to amend its zoning map by changing from a single residence district to a business district the area on Greendale Avenue starting at a point approximately 300 feet from the right of way of the New York, New Haven, and Hartford Railroad on the northerly side of the said right of way and easterly of Greendale Avenue on land of Laura I. Cassidy, and running northerly to and including land of Augustus Hauck, Jr., about 2,500 feet or such part thereof as maybe determined on petition of Laura I. Cassidy and others.

No recommendation required.

Article 43. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Law in Paragraph 3 of Section 3 by striking out the word "Hospitals" so that said Paragraph 3 will read as follows: — "Churches, schools, public libraries, public museums, parish houses, philanthropic institutions" — and in the second Paragraph of Section 5 by inserting after the words "Research Laboratories;" the words "Hospitals, sanitoria, convalescent homes;" so that the second Paragraph of said Section 5 will read as follows: "Dormitories in which there is no provision for private housekeeping; cafes; lecture rooms; research laboratories; hospitals; sanitoria; convalescent homes; statistical offices; printing; binding; and electrotyping as accessory to statistical and research work but not as a separate and independent business; and such uses as the selectmen may deem to be properly accessory to the above mentioned uses."

No recommendation required.

Article 44. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purpose of making certain repairs on the Town building formerly occupied as a fire house on Chestnut Street, to meet the requirements of the State Building Laws, which will permit the continued use of said building by the following organizations, namely: Lieut. Manson H. Carter Post No. 2498 Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States; Galen Orr Corps 8, Women's Relief Corps and Massachusetts State Guard Veterans Unit No. 26, on petition of Ralph H. Gray and others.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to furnish the owner of a licensed dog a metal tag bearing the following: Town of Needham, 1934, Lic. No. , on petition of Allan McIntosh.

Moved: That this Article be dismissed.

Article 46. To appropriate and raise by borrowing or otherwise such sums of money as may be necessary for all or any other purpose mentioned in the foregoing articles and especially to act upon all appropriations asked for or proposed by the Selectmen or any Town officer or Committee.

No recommendation required.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to have the reports of its officers and the proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings printed, or pass any vote or votes relative thereto.

Moved: That 1,000 copies of the report of Town officers and the proceedings of this and subsequent Town Meetings, but not including the valuation list, be printed before the next Annual Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE P. HOLBROOK, *Chairman*,
FRED L. DONAHUE, *Secretary*,
JOHN J. COPPINGER,
JULIUS F. HALLER,
ALFRED P. HARTSHORN,
*GEORGE A. LORD,
REDMOND J. OWENS,
*HARRY J. ROBINSON,
EDWARD G. SAYCE.

*Messrs. Lord and Robinson dissent from the recommendations on the Police Department.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE TAX RATE FOR 1933

State Tax	$4.135
County Tax	.620
Municipal Indebtedness	3.145
Interest on Funded Loans	1.458
Interest on Temporary Loans	.722
Deficiencies 1932	1.315
Norfolk County Hospital	.217
Overlay 1931	.005
Overlay 1933	.082
School	7.154
Public Welfare	1.660
Highway	1.365
Sewer Construction	1.258
Fire	1.208
Police	1.025
Street Lighting	.841
Reserve Fund	.815
Glover Memorial Hospital	.598
Assessors	.206
Library	.198
Treasurer	.186
Removal of Garbage	.171
Sewer Maintenance	.167
Board of Health	.167
Unclassified	.165
Tax Collector	.154
Fire Alarm	.142
Moth	.130
Inspection	.124
Town Hall and Grounds	.122
Engineering	.120
Insurance	.102
Accounting	.088
Town Clerk	.081
Selectmen	.053
Soldiers' Relief	.052
Tree Warden	.045
Memorial Park	.035
Registrars	.034
Sidewalks	.025
Removal of Snow	.021
Park	.018
Upkeep of Soldiers' Graves	.014
Finance Committee	.013
Memorial Day	.011
Military Aid	.006
State Aid	.006
Vocational Tuition	.005
Planning Board	.005
Forest Warden	.003
Petroleum Inspector	.002
Town Nursery	.002
Game Warden	.002
Board of Survey	.002
	$30.30

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